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DINNER AT NITTANY CLUB

The Annual Dinner Was Given at Hecla Park

ON THURSDAY EVENING

Covers Were Laid for Eighty-Three—Many out of Town Guests Were Present.

FINE DECORATIONS AND GOOD MUSIC

The annual dinner of the Nittany Country Club was given at the Club at Hecla Park Thursday evening and proved the largest and most successful treat. There were just eighty-three guests present and from the time of their arrival at the Club in the early afternoon until the midnight hours, when a special train bearing the party home, pulled out for this place, there was not a dull moment.

The picturesque trout stream of the club proved an attraction sufficient to draw many a little party up into the mountains for an afternoon walk, while others amused themselves at bridge and leading the orchestra in songs and revelry that was truly in the nature of a country frolic. Dinner was served at 6:30. The great dining room of the club looked a veritable dreamland in its decorations of laurel illumined by myriad candles. Covers were laid for forty at one table most uniquely arranged with an oval centre projecting from its ends two smaller tables so that all of the diners were face to face. Massed in the centre of the larger one was a great bank of ferns emitting a shower of pink carnations that spread carelessly almost to the edges of the cloth. The orchestra was playing all the time in the billiard room which had been screened off by a maize of small laurel and throughout the service there was that spirit of jollity that only the informality of a country club affair begets. The menu included roast turkey, vegetables, a salad, ices and coffee.

After the second and third tables had been served the dining room was cleared for dancing which was continued until the time for departure; the old fashioned quadrilles of twenty years ago being the popular numbers.

The event was so delightful that on all sides we hear the members wondering how the house committee was able to entertain so large a party in such an admirable manner. Plans could not have been arranged with a greater nicety for the entertainment and pleasure of the guests who were unanimous in voting it one of the memorable events of their club life.

Among the guests from out of Bellefonte were: Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Poorman, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Franciscus, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tyson, Mrs. W. L. Hicks, Miss Freeman, Miss Franciscus, all of Tyrone; and Mr. Wilbur F. Harris, of Harrisburg;

The Bellefonters who were there were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lingle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lingle, Mr. and Mrs. John I. Olewine, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brouse, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Beezer, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Quigley, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keller, Mr. and Mrs. John Curtin, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenlon, Hon. and Mrs. Harry Curtin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Moore, Dr. and Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bower, Mrs. F. W. Crider, Miss Mollie Valentine, Misses Ellen D. Valentine, Adaline Harris, Marguerite Potter, Bertha Laurie, Jennie Harper, Jennie Harris, Caroline Orvis, Margaret Thomas, Messrs. W. L. Daggett, John I. Potter, E. P. Irvin, Col. J. L. Spangler, John M. Shugert, Hard P. Harris, D. G. Stewart, Geo. R. Meek, W. W. Gephart, Hugh N. Crider, Maurice Jackson, John Blanchard, E. L. Hoy, . Thomas Mitchell, Thomas Beaver.

Ground Sinks Fifty Feet.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 12,—About an acre of ground sank 50 feet on the main street of Peckville, seven miles north of here. The hole was quickly filled by the inrush of water, and persons living in houses boardering the miniature lake have gone to the homes of friends in higher parts of the town, fearing that the caving may extend carrying down their houses.

JOHN C. ROWE WEDS.

United in Marriage with Miss Mary Elizabeth Armstrong of Altoona

Last Thursday morning at 8 o'clock a quiet but very pretty wedding was celebrated in St. John's Catholic church at Altoona, the contracting parties being, John C. Rowe, Recorder of Centre County, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Armstrong, formerly of Philipsburg, but late of the *Mountain City*, Altoona. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Morgan M. Sheedy, pastor of the church.

After the wedding a very delightful wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Paul B. Zerbe, and at 9:52 the bride and groom took the train for a short wedding tour to eastern cities. They will arrive in Bellefonte about December 18th and will take up their residence at the Rowe home on East Curtin street.

The bride is a very pretty and attractive lady and one who will make a fitting helpmate on life's journey.

The groom is the present Recorder of Deeds for Centre County and a very popular official. His brother officials at the Court house are preparing to give him a warm and cordial reception on his return home.

Big Day at the Academy.

Friday was a very interesting day for the friends and students of the Academy. In the afternoon Addisonian Hall was crowded with an interested audience who had assembled to hear the several contestants in the first declamatory contest for the prizes offered by W. S. Furst, Esq., of Phila. an alumnus of the Academy.

The speakers and their subjects were as follows:

George Lutz Hornsbrooke, Wheeling, W. Va.; subject: Spartacus to the Gladiators at Capua.

William Crooks, Williamsport; subject: Toussaint L'Ouverture.

Edmund Joseph, Bellefonte; subject: The Unconscious Greatness of Stonewall Jackson.

[illegible], Steubenville, Ohio; subject: The Black Horse and his Rider.

Roy Cobb, Scranton, subject: The Victor of Marengo.

John Lenahan, Wilkesbarre; subject: The Deathbed of Benedict Arnold.

The contest was excellent. Every speaker was master of his subject both in conception and expression. The Judges had a most difficult task in picking the winners.

Their final award was as follows: First prize, six dollars, George Hornbrook; second prize, five dollars, Edmund Joseph.

Honorable mention was made of William Crooks. The gentlemen who so satisfactorily performed the difficult part of awarding the prizes were Clement Dale, Esq., Charles Kurtz and George Meek.

The students and faculty of the Academy were tendered a reception at the "Frat" house in the evening. The music furnished by Smith's orchestra and by Prof. Hall, Miss Jabobs and Miss Bassett added very much to the pleasure of the hundred guests.

Mr. James Hughes and wife propose to make this an annual event to act as a fitting climax to the declamatory contest which is scheduled in the school calendar for the month of December.

Basket Ball.

On Friday night our local Y. M. C. A. five met the Juniata aggregation on the gym floor. The game was like a football match, and seemed to be all in favor of our boys. It was a complete victory for our local team, being the third successive time they have taken the laurels from their opponents. Our boys had to work for their victories and we want to help them all we can now, remembering, that a good basket ball team is a credit to our town and a poor one a shame.

The Juniata boys played a good game but were outclassed both in team work and shooting by the local team. The crowd was fair but a much better crowd could have been there. At the ending of the first half the score stood 21-3, and the final score was 46-7 in favor of the home team.

Milan Walker sustained injuries in the other game and was unable to play in this game. Mr. Hubbard and his boys are to be credited for the splendid work they are doing.

The line up was as follows:

Juniata		Bellefonte
Corlon	forward	Lingle
Bennett	"	Gordon
Norris	centre	Lane
Redding	guard	Shields
Logel	"	Miller
Kidder	sub	Smith

Referee—Hubbard. Time 20 minute half.

DEATH OF GEO. C. BUTZ

Committed Suicide Saturday Morning at 7.15 O'clock

JUMPED TO HIS DEATH

From the Sixth Story Window of the Main Building at the Pennsylvania State College

FELL ON STEP OF THE MAIN BUILDING

Our neighboring town of State College was greatly shocked Saturday morning by the tragic death of Prof. George C. Butz, professor of Horticulture at the Pennsylvania State College, and one of the most popular men of that institution. Saturday morning at 7.15 o'clock, he plunged from the attic window of the main building of the college, falling on the stone steps in front of the main entrance to the college and killing himself instantly. His neck was broken and his body was terribly bruised by the fall.

The only cause that can be given for this rash act is that he was out of his mind. It is known that he had been in ill health for some time. Only last week he returned home from a private sanitarium and it was believed he was cured. Early Saturday morning he got up and went down town, from there he went to the main building of the college. He met several parties and conversed with them and nobody noticed anything wrong with him. He proceeded to the sixth story of the building or attic and there committed the rash act which ended his brilliant career.

Prof. George C. Butz was born at New Castle, Pa., Feb. 1, 1863 and was reared at the old home in New Castle, preparing for college in the High School there. He was the son of Paul Butz, a native of Switzerland. In 1880 he entered the Sophmore class at State College, taking the general scientific course and graduating in 1883. In '84 and '85 he taught the preparatory school, pursuing at the same time a course in botany and zoology and he then started on an extensive tour for the purpose of studying the flora of the United States. He spent some time in Southern Calafornia in landscape gardening. On his return to Pennsylvania in 1887 he accepted the position of horticulturist at the Experimental Station. In 1894 he was appointed assistant professor of Horticulture in the Pennsylvania State College. In 1888 his Alma Mater conferred upon him the well earned degree of Master of Science.

In 1892 he was married to Miss Emma Robison of State College, who survives him with two children Gerald R., and Charles A., aged about ten and twelve years respectively.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church at State College in which he was elder. Although a democrat he served several terms as councilman of State College even though that town is republican. He was a member of the Masonic Order. He was a man of marked ability already known as an expert in his branch of science, and his work will be greatly missed by the college.

The funeral services of Prof. Geo. Butz were held at his residence Monday afternoon with Rev. Dr. Gill, Rev. G. W. Whitenack, his former pastor in the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Chas. T. Aikens president Susquehanna University, officiating. The college quartette sang, "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me," and "Lead, Kindly Light." The services were very impressive and many people from Bellefonte attended.

Interment was made at Pine Hall, about a mile from the College, where the Robinson family plots are. The Bellefonte Lodge F. and A. M. took charge of the burial.

How They Caught Williamsport.

The Williamsport News tells of a couple of sharpers who have eggs shipped from New York to Williamsport. They are cold storage eggs that sell at 23 cents a dozen. The worthies dress up as farmers, repack their eggs in baskets filled with oats, and sell them a strictly fresh eggs at thirty-six cents a dozen. This precious pair disposed of one hundred dozen of cold storage eggs in this manner in one day.

CORTELYOU SERIOUSLY ILL,

Has Broken Himself Down by Hard Work With no Intermission of Rest.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou is very ill at his home in this city. Dr. Hazen, the attending physician, reported that he is suffering from an attack of the grip. He has issued orders that the secretary must remain in his room for several days, and must cease the direction of his official duties until his health has improved. The attack is regarded as unusually serious on account of the run down condition of the secretary, due to the long hours of labor to which he has subjected himself last summer and this winter.

Before he want away for his summer vacation on Long Island the financial condition was such as to cause him anxiety, and he was busy all summer working out plans to avoid a serious panic. Back to Washington, after months of work, instead of rest, he buckled down to the most exhausting of labor, conference following conference, and the secretary being in his office from 10 a. m. until 10 p. m. He even worked on Sundays.

Under all this he bore up wonderfully until last week the accusations of treachery to the administration were made. His friends were apprehensive then that he would suffer a breakdown. For two or three days he has been complaining that he did not feel well, but it was not until late Tuesday night, when he left the department, that he realized he could stand it no longer. Upon reaching his residence Dr. Hazen was called, and it was upon his orders that the secretary is confined to his home. The instructions are that he shall remain there a few days, but this period may be extended indefinitely.

Public School Growth.

The wonderful growth of the public school system and the progress of education in Pennsylvania is set forth in detail in the annual report of Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer superintendent of public instruction. The report shows that in the last 20 years the biennial appropriation in this state for school purposes has increased from $2,000,000 to $15,000,000. The number of pupils in the public schools increased from 928,624 in 1886 to 1,223,388 in 1906, the number of teachers from 23,882 in 1886, to 33,449 in 1906.

The report suggest that either vaccination should be made compulsory or the state should make provision for the hundreds of children who are growing up in ignorance and illiteracy because their parents neglect or refuse to have them vaccinated. It suggests that attendance officers throughout the state use their power to find the children who work in mines and factories before attaining the legal age for leaving school.

The report also states that after deducting the funds for the pay of county superintendents, and the maintenance of township and borough high schools from the biennial appropriation of $15,000,000 made to the public schools by the last legislature, there will still remain $856,000 in excess of previous years to be distributed to the school districts and that every district that complies with the school laws and has not suffered a decrease of population will receive a larger amount in 1908 than was paid to it in 1907.

No legislation, says the report, has reached the remotest school districts of the state like the minimum salary act of 1907, which which increased the minimum pay of teachers from $35 a month to $40 and $50, according to their qualifications, and that the effect of this law will be to raise the compensation of the teachers more nearly to a living basis. Gov. Stuart is commended for carrying out the policy of the last legislature of more liberal support to the public school system of Pennsylvania.

Leaves $1,500,000.

Benjamin Hadley, an eccentric millionaire died at his home in East Somerset Monday of old age. He was 90 years old, and never was married. He was born in Somerset, and it is said that only on one occasion did he ever travel beyond the greater Boston district.

It is related of him that he never joined any kind of an organization never had his life insured, never purchased a ticket, never ate a meal in a hotel or restaurant, and did not spend more than $1 in his entire life for carfare.

He had not voted for 40 years. He wore a collar and necktie only on special occasions. He accumulated real estate valued at $1,500,000.

FLEET SAILS ON VOYAGE

President Reviews Armada Before Cruise to Pacific.

GRANDEUR IMPOSING.

Ideal Weather, Vast Throngs and Strain of Martial Music Add to Glories of Pageant.

ADMIRAL EVANS GET HIS ORDERS.

Old Point Comfort, Va., Dec. 17th.—Sixteen hard-hitting, steel-belted American battleships, gun-bristling and burly of girth, but sparkling white in their immaculate dressings of peace, sailed away at 10 o'clock Monday morning under the dazzling sun of a cloudless winter sky on their famous twin-sea expedition of 14,000 miles along foreign shores and changing climes to the west coast of the United States.

President Roosevelt on the bridge of his cruiser yacht the Mayflower personally led the magnificent four-mile line of fighting vessels during the first stage of the voyage. From the anchorage ground in Hampton Roads to the Horseshoe Bend of Chesapeake Bay his eagle-crested flag of blue pointed the way to the fleet's new home at the Golden Gate. Then, when the wide reaches of the sea were visible through the wide-swung capes of Virginia he turned aside and coming to anchorage reviewed the pageant.

"Boom," went one of the broadsides of the flagship as she got abreast of the President's yacht. The sound had not died away before another gun fired and another and another until the honor to the Chief Magistrate of the nation in the shape of 21 guns was complete.

President Roosevelt, despite the heavy wind and the tossing Mayflower, stood on the bridge. The booming of guns was continuous as each vessel fired 21 times as she passed the Mayflower.

A fleet of excursion steamers, yachts, tugs, torpedoboats and a lighthouse tender followed the battleship fleet to the Capes. Among the vessels that accompanied the fleet to the Capes was the torpedoboats Stringham and Tingley and the lighthouse tender Holly.

When the ships were approaching the President's yacht the members of the various crews were lined up on deck and the marine guard drawn up. This was done in honor of the President, who could be seen waving a last good-by to the men behind the guns.

The day was perfect for sailing and the indications are that the fleet will have a pleasant voyage.

Monday the 16 ships of the massive fleet, continuing in single order and steaming at the uniform speed of 10 knots an hours, according to orders, are well down the coast toward the treacherous waters of Hatteras. The first lap of their journey will bring them to Trinidad on Christmas Eve, and there, amid the heat of the tropics, the Christmas celebrations will be held.

Hundreds of good-by telegrams were flashed to the ships by wireless telegraph as they left the roadstead and had turned down the southern coast. The President after the review at the Horse Shoe was completed, returned to Washington, the Mayflower weighing anchor for the trip up the Potomac shortly after noon.

1,285,349 Immigrants.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Immigration to America during the year ended June 30, 1907, was vastly greater than in any previous year of the history of the United States. This fact is placed in strong light in the annual report of Frank P. Sargent, commissioner general of immigration. Of this great flood of immigrants, Commissioner Sargent says:

"An army of 1,285,349 souls, they have come drawn hither to the free institutions and the marvelous prosperity of our country, surpassing in numbers the record of all preceding years. The immigration for the year 1907 exceeded that for 1906 by 184, 614, and that for the year 1905 by 258,850, or an increase over the year 1906 of more than 17 per cent, and over the year 1905 by more than 25 per cent."

Our Boro Fathers.

The regular semi-monthly session of the Borough council was held in the council room in the Public building Monday evening at 7:30.

The members present were Messrs Kirk, Shuey, Wagner, Beezer and Hamil on.

In the absence of President Keller the chair was filled by Dr. Kirk.

Chairman Hamilton of the Street committee, reported that Water street work was about completed. They are also working on Howard street.

A reduction was made in the County Commissioners bill for water on account of the fountains which council agreed to donate.

The report of Treasurer W. B. Rankin was a follows:

Notes paid (temp loans)	20,000.00
Int. on bonds	4043.62
Bonds paid	1000.00
Orders paid as per last report	13913.32
Orders paid since	1292.32
Total Amt.	40248.67
Total Receipts	41423,34
Balance on hand	276.77

Notes amounting to $6,000 due December 19th were ordered renewed for 6 months. A new note for 30 days amounting to $1500 to current expenses was ordered drawn.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn,

Street pay roll	32.35
" "	293.75
J. I. Olewine supplies for street	29.19
Bellefonte Lumber Co. lumber	12.00
Fire and Police Pay Roll	52.50
Bellefonte Gas Co. 1mo heat	48.10
L. H. Green, burying cats	1.50
P. R. R. Co. freight on pipes	64.00
J. L. Runkle, plumbing	13,05
A. Allison, terra cotta pipe	8.46
Jos. Wise, Trea. Fireman's Relief	318.84
Water Works Pay Roll	59.50
A. Allison, supplies	31.28
	964.52

Ambrose S. Ray Secures Valuable Patent.

The many friends of Mr. Ambrose S. Ray of this city will be pleased to learn that a patent has been allowed to him for a very novel, ingomious and valuable Shipping Crate which will be found useful for a great variety of purposes. All who are familiar with the invention of Mr. Ray pronounces it a very important step in advance in the art to which it relates, as it is said to be the best appliance of the kind brought before the public. His patent was granted through Messrs. W. T. Fitz Gerald & Co., the well known patent attorneys of Washington, D. C., and it is anticipated that Mr. Ray will make a large amount of money out of the venture.

This simply proves to our readers that the inventive field is still open, as fortunes are being made every day by bright inventors. What is wanted is something comparatively simple as something that goes into every day use with the people and which almost every body can afford to buy.

We wish Mr. Ray the fullest measure of success and are glad to learn that his work has been so well received.

Value of Exercise.

Edward Payson Weston, a vigorous athlete, 29 years old, in the prime of young manhood, started on October 29th 1867, to walk from Portland Maine, to Chicago. He reached his destination on November 28th of that year and made a record then as a pedestrian of extraordinary dash and endurance. Forty years later, to the very day, Mr. Weston, now almost a septuagenarian, started from Portlnd to walk to the same destination. He has beaten his record of 1867 and proved the soundness of his theory that with an abundance of fresh air and the proper degree of exercise a man comparatively old in years may retain health and vigor. Mr. Weston has established his claim to recognition as a "grand old man" of muscle, staying power and sound physique.

Travels Land or Water.

"Waterland," the French auto which climbs river banks and hills, or dives into the river and swims, was given a demonstration in the Hudson river. It was brought over by its inventor, Jules Revelillier. It is a boat having four solid wheels for travel on land, in addition to a propeller fer use in water. The power is shifted from one to another by means of a lever. The land speed is 20 miles an hour; the water speed 9 miles. The demonstration was a complete success, as seen in the illustrations, but the commercial value of the machine appears to be doubtful.

KIDNAPPER ASSASSINATED

Boris Sarafoff Shot Dead by a Macedonian Thursday

WAS 37 YEARS OF AGE

It Was his Dictatorial Methods Which Made him Many Enemies—Was Imbibed at an Early Age

BECAUSE OF TORTURES HE WITNESSED

Sofia, Bulgaria, December 13.—Boris Sarafoff, the most famous of all the leaders of the Bulgarian bands in Macedonia, was shot dead at the threshold of his home Thursday by a Macedonian, who at the same time shot and killed another revolutionary chief named Garanoff, while the latter was in the act of bidding Sarafoff farewell.

Sarafoff was appointed commander of the Macedonian revolutionary forces that made so much trouble in the summer of 1903. His name was prominent in all the uprisings in Macedonia against the Turks and he has been descrbed as the most romantic figure in the Balkans.

He was popularly believed and stated to be the real instigator of the abduction of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, from the Vilayet of Saloniki in September, 1901, in order to procure through her ransom funds to enable the Macedonian revolutionary committee to organize an insurrection.

His hatred of the Turks was imbibed at an early age through seeing his father and grandfather tortured, dragged off in chains to a dungeon and then exiled for fifteen years. At the age of 14 he attacked, single-handed the prison in which his father and grandfather were confined, and he was flogged for his pains. The boy swore to revenge himself on the Turks and studied to this end, becoming an officer in the Bulgarian army.

In 1895 Sarafoff organized a band to raid Turkish territory and since then has headed no less than 380 daring raids. Once he captured the Turkish town of Melnik with forty men, putting the garrison to flight.

Sarafoff was familiar with hundreds of miles of tracks through forests and over the mountains of Turkey. His aim was the organization of a vast rebellion, with the object of ousting Constantinople and over- throwing Turkish rule. The Turkish government set a price of $20,000 on his head.

He was about 37 years old.

Sarafoff was the organizer of the Macedonian committee. His prominence in Macedonian agitations and his dictatorial methods made him many enemies his followers.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

A Pastor Surprised.

Rev. D. Barshinger and family of Bellefonte Pa., received an agreeable surprise visit at the U. B. parsonage, Thursday evening Dec. 12th. from about sixty-five of the members and friends that were present. At the close of the revival service they all marched from the church in a body to the ladies sewing room of the parsonage. Each member of the party was provided with a package containing some article of household use or commodityin all amounting to $18. The pastor and wife were completely taken by surprise. The large number of useful articles and purse of money was an evidence of the evening success.

Mr. John Ammerman one of the party made the presentation speech, and Rev. D. Barshinger responding in fitting terms, returning the sincere thanks of himself and family. The balance of the evening was most agreeably spent in a sociable way. At a seasonable hour the guests departed for their various homes well pleased with the evenings entertainment. Yes, who says that the women can't keep a secret. Thanks to you good people come back again. Don't forget the revival still continues, pray for the meeting and be sure to attend it yourself.

Christmas Post Cards.

We wish to call our readers attention to the advertisement of Geo. T. Bush and the fine line of articles for Xmas presents in another column. As usual he has a pretty lot of Xmas calendars and booklets but he still sticks to his specialty of Post Cards. His line of Xmas and New Year post cards he claims being the best in the State and it is well worth a visit to look them over. He is making a specalty of Xmas Post Cards for schools and classes this novelty pleasing children so much.

Dewitt's Little Early Risers
The famous little pills.

For Over Sixty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothe the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cure wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by all druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take on other kind.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates
For sale by C M Parrish.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickle-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by All Dealers

A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very young babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lunghealing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress Simply a resinous plant extract, that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb". Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

Ring's Little Liver Pills wake up lazy livers, clean the system and clear the skin. Try them for biliousness and sick headache. Price 25c. Sold by Krumrines.

Makes the Liver Lively.

Foley's Orino Laxative gives permanent relif in cases of habitual constipation as it stimulates the liver and restores the natural action of the bowels without irritating these organs like pills or ordinary cathartics. Does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Remember the name Foley's Orino Laxative and refuse substitutes. C. M. Parrish.

ManZan Reaches the spot. Stops pain. The Great Pile Remedy. Put up in tubes with rectal nozzle, 50 cents.
For Sale By Krumrines Drug Store.

To stop that pain in the back, that stiffness of the joints and muscles, take Pineules. They are guaranteed. Don't suffer from rheumatism. backache, kidney trouble, when you get 30 days treatment for $1.00. A single dose at bedtime proves their merit. Get them to day. Sold by Krumrines.

A Boon to Elderly People.

Most elder people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. C. M. Parrish.

"I trust this may be read by many sufferers from kidney and bladder trouble writes Mrs. Joe King, of Woodlard, Tex. "I sufferered four years and could find nothing to give even temporary relief. Our druggist at last induced me to try your 30 days' treatment of Pineules for $1. This one bottle has cured me and money could not buy the value it has been to me. Guaranteed sold by Krumrines.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly, Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

Rings Dyspepsia Tablets
RELIEVE INDIGESTION AND STOMACH TROUBLES
For Sale By Krumrines Drug Store.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney trouble that is not beyond medical aid. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

It will be unnecessary for you to go through a painful, expensive operation for Piles if you use ManZan. Put up in collapsible tube with nozzle, ready to apply to the soreness and inflammation. For any form of Piles, price 50c guaranteed. Sold by Krumrines

The Main Thing About Fire Insurance...

Is carrying a sufficient amount to really protect your property —for after a fire one can only accept the result

Better see to it that you are fully insured and in a company celebrated for prompt payment of losses; a good reliable company the only kind represented by us.

Also represent The Preferred Accident Insurance Company of New York, who issue $5,000 Travel Policy at $12.00 per year

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Real Estate Bought and Sold.
RENTS COLLECTED

BURGLARS ENTER SIX RESIDENCES

But they Meet with Poor Success, Getting Only About $40

BLOOMSBURG AROUSED

Woman Awakened by Flash of Robber's Lantern, but she Screams Successfully—Bold Intruders.

ONE ARREST HAS BEEN MADE

Bloomsburg, Dec, 12.—Six residences were entered by burglars here during the early hours of Wednesday morning, but the bold intruders did not meet with the success that they would evidently have liked judging from the number of places they broke into and the trouble they took to ransack everything. All of the plunder gathered by them in the six dwellings does not amount to more than $40 in value. John Ryan was arrested on suspicion and held for a further hearing Wednesday afternoon. He was loitering about the town and it is believed that he knows something of the burglaries.

The home of Frank Ikeler, Esq., a brother of the Hon. Fred T. Ikeler, was entered through the rear door and $15 was taken from a purse which has been left on the sideboard. Every room was completely ransacked, The home of Mrs Debora Little, widow of the late Judge Robert R. Little, was also entered but the thieves succeeded in getting only $6 in cash from the pockets of some clothes. A gold watch was taken from a bureau. Mrs. Little was awakened by the flash of a dark lantern. Her screams frightened the intruders away. Wednesday morning the rear door was found standing open, showing how the intruders entered.

From the home of W H. Beglinger, superintendent of the Bloomsburg silk mill, nothing was secured. W. L. Demaree, a traveling salesman, was awakened during the night. Wednesday morning the house was found in a topsy-turvy condition and $1.20 in cash was missing. From the home of W. H. Coryell, a furniture dealer, $10 in small change was taken from a child's savings bank. From the home of Harry Williams the extent of the burglars' plunder was 90 cents.

Killed at Scranton.

Scranton, Pa. December, 12.—Alma McNally, aged 7 years, was instantly killed this afternoon as the result of wounds caused by a shotgun. The tragedy was accidental, but just who is responsible for it is uncertain.

Alma, together with her brother Edward, aged 9, and sister Madeline, aged 4, was playing with Evan, William Louise and Charlie Thomas, who range from 9 years to 1, and who reside next door to the McNally family.

Neighbors hurried to the spot when the gun was discharged and found nearly the whole front of Alma's face had been blown off. Madeline and Edward McNally claim that Evan Thomas discharged the shot that killed Alma, while the Thomas children are equally positive that Edward McNally shot her.

The police and coroner are investigating the case.

A Bold Step.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicines for domestic use, and so has published broadcast and openly to the whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has removed his medicines from among secret nostrums of doubtful merits, and made them *Remedies of Known Composition.*

By this bold step Dr. Pierce has shown that his formulas are of such excellence that he is not afraid to subject them to the fullest scrutiny.

Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the famous medicine for weak stomach, pid liver or billiousness and all catarrhal diseases wherever located, have printed upon it, in *plain English*, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous standard medical works, of all the different schools of practice, containing very numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, endorsing *in the strongest possible terms*, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines. One of these little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this little book it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral agents or other poisonous or injurious agents and that they are made from native, medicinal roots of great value; also that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, nervous, over-worked, "run-down," nervous and debilitated women, were employed, long years ago, by the Indians for similar ailments affecting their squaws. In fact, one of the most valuable medicinal plants entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was known to the Indians as "Squaw-Weed." Our knowledge of the uses of not a few of our most valuable native, medicinal plants was gained from the Indians.

As made up by improved and exact processes, the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the womanly functions, correcting displacements, as prolapsus, anteversion and retorversion, overcoming painful periods, toning up the nerves and bringing about a perfect state of health. Sold by all dealers in medicines.

Christmas in the Philippines.

Although they are dwellers in a tropical country, where the environments differ greatly from those in their own land, the Americans now in the Philippine Islands will celebrate Christmas with as much zeal and in nearly the same fashion as the people of the "State." So far as the soldiers stationed there are concerned, the authorities at Washington have done their share to make the day a pleasant one. What is said to be the "largest Christmas dinner ever sent from any port in the world" was shipped recently from San Francisco to Manila, on the transport Sherman. The good things thus characterized were intended for the military men in our Asiatic possessions and their families. Every member of the little army in the Islands—including also, it is to be hoped, the native constabulary—is to be supplied with a regular Christmas meal of the Occidental kind. For this purpose the Sherman carried from the Golden Gate not less than 35,000 pounds of turkey, five hundred gallons of cranberry sauce, big cases of home-made mince meat for pies, and hundreds of tins of plum pudding. In order to convey these delicacies in safety and good condition to their destination, an immense ice-box was especially constructed to contain them The fowls were all raised in California, and were of the finest quality. This generous contribution by the government to the typical observance of the great religious holiday is expected to put Uncle Sam's fighting men in good humor and to lessen to some extent that "home-sick feeling" which frequently attacks the exile. The personal friends in this country of the soldiers have also taken a hand in adding to the letters' contentment, by forwarding to them multitudes of gifts of various kinds. Nor will the American civilians there be forgotten by the relatives and friends from whom they are separated so far.

No Third Term

Washington, D. C., December 12.—President Roosevelt will not be a candidate for a third term. All doubt on this point was last night dispelled by the authoritative statement from the White House that Mr. Roosevelt still adheres to the declaration of renunciation made on the night of the election three years ago. In the statement issued last night President Roosevelt says he has not changed and shall not change the decision communicated to the American people in 1904.

It appears that the President had been awaiting the call for the Republican National convention to afford the proper opportunity for making his position clear and unmistakable, thus leaving the field clear for Fairbanks, Taft, Cannon, Knox, Foraker, and other declared or receptive candidates for the Republican nomination. The President's statement is as follows:

"I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the fourth of March next I shall have served six and a half years, and of this three and a half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination.

"I have not changed and shall not change the decision thus announced."

Free Christmas Dinner for the Poor of Bellefonte.

DEAR FRIEND:

Will you kindly help the Salvation Army toward feeding the poor of our town (Bellefonte) on Christmas?

All baskets will be filled at and delivered from our Hall, corner High and Spring Streets. The under mentioned meats and groceries will be necessary to complete the bill of fare. Meats, loaves bread, butter, coffee, sugar, milk, potatoes, apples, rice or beans, canned goods and money.

All articles to be called for or delivered not later than Monday, December 23rd. Those delivered may be left at the Salvation Army Hall.

Trusting you will help liberally, we remain,

Yours for the Poor
CAPT. and MRS. J. HEATHER,
Office in Charge.

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For Infants and Children.
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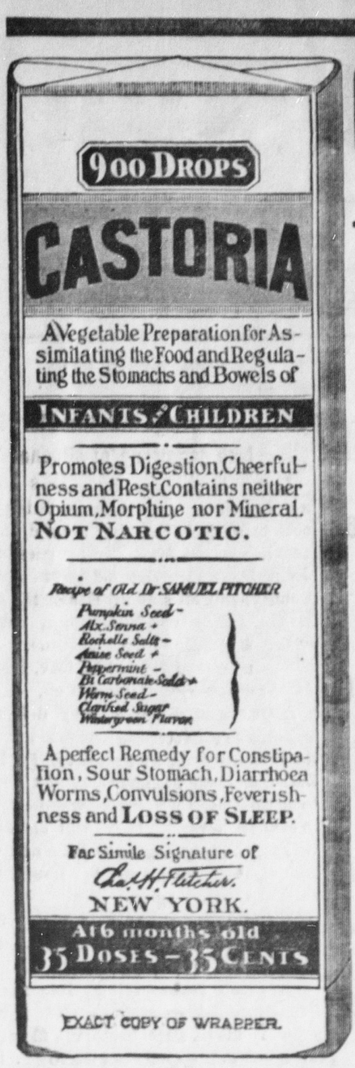
Definition of a Baby.

A baby—that which makes home happier, love stronger, patience greater, hands busier, nights longer, days shorter, the past forgotten, the future brighter.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A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of
INFANTS & CHILDREN
Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.
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How She Rests.

In Germantown there dwells a family of ancient lineage which for years every summer has employed a colored woman named Liza as a cook while the family was at the shore. Sons and daughters have married and migrated, reared children and added to the branches of an already luxuriant family tree. On one occasion a number of these signified a desire to assemble again under the old roof. The old lady who now is the head of the family, seeing that special help was necessary, sent for Liza to come and help cook the dinner. Liza's answer was brief and dignified. "De winter am my vacation," she said, "an' den I doan' cook for nobody. In de winter I rests, an' all I does is washin' an' ironin'."—Philadelphia Record.

Up to Curt Reply.

A story is told of Professor Masson when editor of Macmillan's Magazine. It refers to the days when Kingsley and Newman were engaged in their famous pamphlet war. Conscious of the excellence of an article on the subject of the controversy which he had written in the magazine, Masson ventured to bring it under the notice of Newman, but he was not prepared for the reply he received, although he afterward spoke of it with philosophic humor. Newman's laconic message was in words such as these: "I have not heard of your magazine, and your name conveys no impression to my mind."—Westminster Gazette.

Heartfelt.

Lord Carrington when governor of New South Wales made his first public appearance at the mayor's dinner at Sydney. Having committed a few words to paper, he delivered them in reply to the toast of his health and then sat down, feeling very much satisfied with himself. Opposite to him there sat an M. P. who had suffered long from the abundant eloquence of the new governor's predecessor. When Lord Carrington sat down the man filled his glass to the brim and said. "Thank the Lord, he can't speak!"

A Domestic Breakdown.

A well known lord discovered a thief in his London house. Aided by the butler, he secured the man and then rang the bell. A servant appeared, whom the peer requested to "go into the kitchen and bring up a policeman or two." The domestic returned and said there were no policemen on the premises. "What!" exclaimed his master in incredulous tones. "Do you mean to tell me that with a cook, two scullery maids, a kitchen maid and three housemaids in my employ there is no policeman in my kitchen? It is indeed a miracle, and our prisoner shall reap the benefit. Turner, let the man go instantly!"—London Standard.

Preposterous.

An aged Jersey farmer visiting a circus for the first time stood before the dromedary's cage, eyes popping and mouth agape at the strange beast within. The circus proper began, and the crowds left for the main show, but still the old man stood before the cage in stunned silence appraising every detail of the misshapen legs, the cloven hoofs, the pendulous upper lip and the curiously mounded back of the sleepy eyed beast. Fifteen minutes passed

Cheap Jag.

"He was intoxicated with her beauty."

"That must have just suited him."

"Yes; it didn't cost any money."—Pittsburg Press.

The Reason Santa Claus Looks so Happy.

Many, many years ago when Santa Claus was young, he knew of some children so very, very poor that they could not have any good times Christmas; so he thought to make them happy by giving each one some present, which he did by climbing down the chimney and putting something in each of the stockings which had been hung up to the fireplace.

It gave him so much pleasure that he at once resolved to be Santa Claus to every child in the world. Of course, the children everywhere heard of it, and had their stockings hung up in readiness. And the night before Christmas ever after he has visited every house, leaving some toy, candies or other present as each child might wish for.

And long ago it became the custom for every good boy and girl to write a letter and put it in the fireplace, telling Santa Claus what to bring for Chriftmas. But if you have not a fireplace, just write the letter and address it like this:

SANTA CLAUS,
NORTH POLE.

Then give it to your paper or mamma to mail, and you may be sure it will reach Santa Claus all right. If you have not been good it will be necessary for you to promise faithfully in the letter to be a better boy or girl.

But one should not be greedy, and want too many things, for you know there are many poor children who have so little and need so much.

And if he should fail to visit you any Christmas, you must know there is some very good reason for it. His supply of toys may be exhausted, or one of his reindeer become crippled, or perhaps he may be unable to reach all of the houses; for you know there are many more homes and many children each year, and it is quite a task for an old man to get around to so many homes all over the world. You may be sure he never forgets you, for he has your welfare and pleasure in mind at all times.

Now if you know of any little boy or girl who has not received a present, and it is possible for you to surprise him or her with one, just play being Santa Claus, and see if the giving does not afford you as much pleasure as it does Santa Claus. I am sure you will be happy in making some one else happy. It is at least worth trying.

$75,000 Blaze in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Dec. 12.—In a disastrous fire at 5 o'clock this morning, starting from crossed electric wires in the building occupied by the Graff Stove Company on Liberty avenue, three firemen were badly injured and the damage to property will amount to $75,000. The block of buildings destroyed was in the centre of the whole sale district.

Hoseman Santz, Joseph Payley and an unknown fireman were badly cut by flying glass and struck by a fling nozzle. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

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MANY WIRES TORN DOWN

Telegraph and Telephone Companies Have Hard Time.

SLEET PLAYS HAVOC

Associated Press Service Interrupted—Poles and Trees Fell Under Weight of Ice.

IT CHECKS CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

York, Dec. 16 -Sleet, splashing over shoe-tops, filling streets and gutters ankle deep with muddy water, and rain, driving under umbrellas and glazing trees, wires and pavements, was the dismal outlook which greeted store keepers on next to the biggest Saturday for Christmas shopping. Many a dollar which would otherwise have been exchanged for gifts remained unexpended. The weather Saturday morning has had not even a close second as the most disagreeable of the winter. Trolley cars ran on the best time they could while the snow sweeper made a shift at pushing the heavy mees from the tracks, Walking was dangerous and several pedestrians had severe falls. The ice coating brought down with its weight a great many tree branches and some wires.

Snow began to fall at about 2:30 o'clock Saturday morning and the temperature fell from 30 to 26 degrees during the storm. Farmers who lived more than a few miles from the city remained at home with their products and the markets were almost deserted.

All telephone and telegraph companies suffered. The Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies also had their lines cut off in several directions. The Pennsylvania and York telephone officials reported more trouble than they were able to handle. They found that the wires torn down by the ice were chiefly those extending north and south.

People are Talking About It.

Many people are talking about how quickly Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Remember the name Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse to accept some unknown preparation of little or no merit which may contain some harmful drugs. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is safe and sure. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

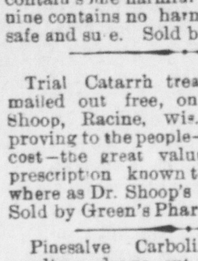
Pinesalve Carbolized acts like a poultice, draws out inflammation and poison. Antiseptic, healing. For chapped hands, lips, cuts, burns. Sold by Krumrines.

When the Stomach, Heart, or kidney nerves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen these nerves build them up with Dr. Shoop's Restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quickly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine Wis. Your health is surely worth this simple test. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.



It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Home of Swamp-Root.

ONLY ONE.

The Record in Bellefonte is a Unique One.

If the reader has a "bad back" or any kidney ill and is looking for relief and cure, better depend on the only remedy endorsed by people you know. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve quickly—cure permanently. Bellefonté citizens testify to this. Here is a case of it:

Mrs: Emma J. Davis of E. Logan St. Bellefonte, Pa. says; I have a great deal of confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills, and have already recommended them in a published testimonial in 1897. I told how I had been relieved of kidney complaint and backache which had kept me suffering for years. Doan's Kidney Pills did this for me when other remedies had failed. Whenever I feel any symptom of my old trouble I send to F. Potts Green's drug store for a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills and it never requires more than a few doses to get me right."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster—Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no others.

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Keep the pores open and the skin clean when you have a cut, burn bruise or scratch. DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve penetrates the pores and heals quickly. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

EARLY RISERS
The famous little pills.

Pneumonia Follows a Cold

But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia. Sold by C. M. Parrish

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

or sale by C M Parrish.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup for coughs colds, croup and whooping cough grows in favor daily with young and old. Mothers should keep it on hand for children. It is promp relief to croup. It is gently laxative, driving the poison and phlegm from the system. It is a simple remedy that gives immediate relief, guaranteed. Sold by Krumrines.

Praise from New England.

Mrs. S. Joyce, Claremont, N. H. writes "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me af a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It Certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
CONTAINING **HONEY AND TAR**

No need to fear coughs and colds this year as you can obtain Bees Laxative Cough Syrup now from your dealer. This is good news to mothers who fear croup and whooping cough. It is a gentle laxative that expells the poison from the system in the natural way. Cuts the phlegm and clears the head. Guaranteed Sold by Krumrines.

INSTANT RELIEF—Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat—Brazilian Balm, 50 doses 25c.

Kodol For Indigestion. Relieves sour stomach, palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

Stimulation Without Irritation.

That is the Watchword. That is what Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does. Cleanses and stimulates the bowels without irritation in any form.

Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold only—you should always heal, soothe, and ease the irritated bronchial tubes. Don't blindly suppress it with a stupefying poison. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now—a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good!! Hereafter for this very reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure

GREEN'S PHARMACY CO.

PILES Root's Pile Suppository. A cure guaranteed if you use

D. Matt. Thompson, Sup't Graded Schools, Statesville, N. C., writes: "I can say they do all you claim for them." Dr. S. M. Devore, Raven Rock, W. Va., writes: "They give universal satisfaction." Dr. H. D. Moffit, Clarksburg, Tenn., writes: "In a practice of 25 years, I have found no remedy to equal yours." Prices, 50 Cents. Samples Free. Sold by Druggists. MARTIN RUDY, LANCASTER, PA.

Sold in Bellefonte by C. M. Parrish
Call for Free Sample.

KEATS ON MARRIAGE.

Barrier Against Matrimony In Which the Poet Rejoiced.

Notwithstanding your happiness and your recommendation, I hope I shall never marry. Though the most beautiful creature were waiting for me at the end of a journey or a walk, though the carpet were of silk, the curtains of the morning clouds, the chairs and sofa stuffed with cygnets' down, the food manna, the wine beyond claret, the window opening on Winander mere, I should not feel, or, rather, my happiness would not be so fine, as my solitude is sublime. Then, instead of what I have described, there is a sublimity to welcome me home. The roaring of the wind is my wife, and the stars through the window pane are my children. The mighty abstract idea I have of beauty in all things stifles the more divided and minute domestic happiness—an amiable wife and sweet children I contemplate as a part of that beauty, but I must have a thousand of those beautiful particles to fill up my heart.

I feel more and more every day as my imagination strengthens that I do not live in this world alone, but in a thousand worlds. No sooner am I alone than shapes of epic greatness are stationed around me and serve my spirit the office which is equivalent to a king's bodyguard—then "tragedy with sceptered pall comes sweeping by." According to my state of mind I am with Achilles shouting in the trenches or with Theocritus in the vales of Sicily, or I throw my whole being into Troilus, and, repeating those lines, "I wander like a lost soul upon the Stygian banks, staying for waftage," I melt into the air with a voluptuousness so delicate that I am content to be alone. These things, combined with the opinion I have of the generality of women, who appear to me as children to whom I would rather give a sugar plum than my time, form a barrier against matrimony which I rejoice in. —"Poems of John Keats," by Walter Raleigh.

Troubles of an Amateur.

"I thought you had gone to raising bees," said the man from the city. "I don't see any sign of them around here."

"I had half a dozen colonies of the finest bees I could get," answered the suburbanite, "and a whole library of literature on bee raising, but they swarmed one day, and while I was looking through my books to find out what was the proper thing to do when bees swarmed the blamed things flew away, and I've never seen 'em since." —Chicago Tribune.

In Nameless Graves.

Not far from Hamburg, on the island of Westerland, is a small graveyard to which pathetic interest attaches. Here the bodies of those washed up by the sea—bodies unrecognized and unclaimed—are buried. The cemetery was dedicated to this use in 1855, and from then up to now over sixty nameless ones have found their rest. In 1888 a stone was raised bearing the dedication "The Home of the Homeless," and each little mound is further marked by a simple black cross.

Like the Parrot.

"Thumper occasionally says things that are wonderfully apropos," said one statesman.

"Yes," answered the other; "he's like our parrot at home. It doesn't know much, but what it does know it keeps repeating until some circumstance arises that makes the remark seem marvelously apt."

A good way to get on in the world is to make people think you are doing it.—New York Press.

Pies and Pie Crust.

A good way to prevent the juice from running out of fruit pie is to insert a funnel shaped piece of paper in the top crust. This will allow the steam to escape while the pie is baking. Many people sprinkle the top of a juicy pie with flour before putting on the top crust. Another good suggestion is to use minute tapioca instead of flour for the purpose.

Lady Curzon's Discovery.

The late Lady Curzon is said to have told some American friends that very early in her married life she discovered that Lord Curzon liked to be "dressed for." So she resolved that he should never come to dinner without finding her in a garb a little different from what other people had seen in. "It is not much trouble," she said, "and it pleases him."

Suited His Temper.

"You seem to find that book very interesting," said Mrs. Henpeck.

"Yes," replied Henry; "it's delightful. I've glanced at the ending, and the hero and heroine don't get married after all."—Washington Herald.

Whether a knave or a fool can do the greater harm is one of the questions which twenty centuries of experience has not fully determined.—Dallas News.

A Blunder.

Customer—I must say, waiter, this is the first time I've ever had a really tender steak here. Waiter (aghast)—Good gracious, I must have given you the proprietor's steak! — London Standard.

His Awful Threat.

Mother—Why did you not scream when Hans kissed you? Daughter—He threatened me. Mother—How? Daughter—He said if I did he'd never kiss me again.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

SQUARED ACCOUNTS.

Also Won a Reputation and Saved Himself Further Trouble.

Press agents, like other individuals, have their troubles, but there is one in Philadelphia who has fewer of them than the ordinary man. Asked one day how he managed so well to get along with everybody, he explained:

"Well, I won a reputation. You see, when a press agent is able to give a man heart disease from which he actually dies his troubles cease if persons have a proper regard for their lives. I was the press agent for a German singing fest. I naturally used the German papers.

"There was one editor who had the idea that he wasn't getting all that was due. Nevertheless he published column after column of type and pictures.

"Afterward the managers of the show received a bill for $820 'for advertising.' They were in a rage. 'What shall we do?" they demanded. 'Don't get excited,' I cautioned 'em. 'I'll fix that all right.'

"I went to the office of a friend, and, going to the type cases, I stuck the finest billhead you ever laid eyes on. I printed it in two inks. It read, 'The Two Continents Engraving Company; John Smith, manager.' Next I wrote this account. 'To Peter Jacob Schmidtheiser, Dr., to cuts for German festival, $890.'

"When Schmidtheiser received the bill he fainted. He revived and sent for me.

"'Fer vot is it you scharge me fer der cuts vot I could puy fer 40 cents apiece, yet?' he demanded.

"'That's all right, old man,' I assured him. 'You might buy those cuts from anybody else for 40 cents apiece, but not of me.'

"He refused to pay the bill, but not long afterward he was stricken with heart disease and died. His executors found the bill, with its balance of $70 in my favor. They asked me what I'd take to settle, and I told them $50. They paid it cheerfully, and since then I haven't had any trouble."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Dealing In "Cats and Dogs."

No antiquarian pursues a more profitable or fascinating calling than the dealer in "cats and dogs," as the antiquities of Wall street are dubbed "Cats and dogs" are the remnants of old stock, bond and note issues of railroad, industrial or mining companies on which payment of interest, dividends or principal has been in default for years. Some of these securities are worthless and obsolete, some of doubtful value, while a few are worth their weight in gold. Only the expert in obsolete securities can detect their worth. Many of these securities can be picked up at the official auction room of Wall street. Many brokers closely scrutinize the securities that are offered at this auction room, and only a few months ago 100,000 shares of stock in a certain mining company were sold for a song, from which the broker hopes to realize a big sum.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Phrases or Handcuffs.

It is customary to remark that modern problems cannot easily be attacked because they are so complex. In many cases, I believe, it is really because they are so simple. Nobody would believe in such simplicity of scoundrelism even if it were pointed out. People would say that the truth was a charge of mere melodramatic villainy, forgetting that nearly all villains really are melodramatic. Thus, for instance, we say that some good measures are frustrated or some bad officials kept in power by the press and confusion of public business, whereas very often the reason is simply healthy human bribery. We waste our fine intellects in finding exquisite phraseology to fit a man when in a well ordered society we ought to be finding handcuffs to fit him.—G. K. Chesterton in Illustrated London News.

May Turn Black.

Professor McMillan Brown, ethnologist, holds that the future Australian people will in all probability be black. The Polynesians, he said in a lecture at Sydney, came originally not from America, as has been supposed, but from Asia. They were whites and changed color, just as the future Australian may do as the centuries go on, at least in the tropical regions of the north. The violet rays of the sun will turn him black in course of time.

Sorry He Spoke.

"Really, Miss Primm, you ought to get married," remarked Wedderly. "You'll soon be in the spinster class if you don't hurry up and catch on."

"Oh, don't worry about me, Mr. Wedderly," replied Miss Primm. "If I were as easy to please as your wife I would have been married long ago."—London Telegraph.

Some Other Fellow's.

"With $100,000," said the man of expansive ideas, "I could make a fortune in Wall street."

"Yes," replied the piker, "but whose fortune would you make?"—Washington Star.

Excusable.

"I suppose," remarked the coy widow, "that you are not an advocate of early marriage?"

"Oh, yes, I am," replied the scanty haired bachelor.

"Then," continued the c. w., "why is it you are still a bachelor?"

"That's quite another matter," answered the bachelor. "The only marriages I believe in are early ones, because there is some excuse for youthful follies."—Chicago News.

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On and after Monday, May 29th, 1905 trains will run as follows from P. R. R. station

WESTWARD.				EASTWARD.		
1† Acom.	3† Exp.	5† Mail.		2† Mail.	4† Exp.	6 Acom
A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	Lv. Ar.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 30	10 15	3 00	Bellefonte	8 50	12 50	6 35
6 35	10 20	3 07	Coleville	8 40	12 40	6 15
f6 38	10 23	3 12	Morris	f8 37	f12 37	6 07
f6 43	f10 27	3 17	Stevens	f8 35	f12 35	6 02
			Lime Centre			
f6 46	f10 30	3 21	Hun'rs Park	f8 31	12 71	6 00
f6 50	f10 34	3 26	Fillmore	f8 28	f12 28	5 55
f6 55	f10 40	3 32	Briarly	f8 24	f12 24	5 50
7 00	10 45	2 35	Waddles	8 20	12 20	5 45
f7 12	f10 57	3 50	Krumrine	f8 47	f12 07	5 27
7 25	11 10	4 05	State College	8 00	12 00	5 20
f7 27		4 10	Strubles	f7 45		4 36
f7 31		4 15	Bloomsdorf	f7 40		4 25
7 35		4 20	P. G. Mills	7 35		4

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CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
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7 15	7 06	2 32	Milo	9 27	4 52	9 27
7 20	f7 11	2 37	Zion	f9 21	4 47	9 21
7 27	7 18	2 45	Hecla Park	9 25	4 41	9 15
7 29		2 47	Dunkles	9 13	4 38	9 13
7 33	f7 23	2 51	Rubiersburg	f9 09	4 34	9 06
7 37	7 24	2 55	Snydertown	9 06	4 29	9 06
7 40	f7 30	2 58	Nittany	f9 04	4 27	9 02
7 42	f7 33	3 01	Huston	f9 02	4 24	9 00
7 46	7 38	3 05	Lamar	f8 59	4 21	8 57
7 48	f7 40	3 08	Shintondale	f8 56	4 18	8 54
7 52	7 44	3 12	Krider's Sta'n	8 52	4 14	8 51
8 56	7 49	3 16	Mackeyville	f8 48	4 09	8 46
8 02	7 54	3 22	Cedar Springs	8 42	4 03	8 40
8 05	7 57	3 25	Salona	8 40	4 01	8 38
8 10	8 02	3 30	Mill Hall	†8 35	†3 56	†8 32

(NEW YORK CENT.)						
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The engineers say the total weight of steel and masonry in the tower is 18,365 tons, while nearly 10,000 tons of steel have been used in the frame work. Eighteen elevators will carry the 2,500 tenants to their offices and one minute is required for the elevator to make the run from the sidewalk floor to the top of the structure. Fifteen thousand incandescent lights, sufficient, the engineers say, to light a town of 25,000 inhabitants, will illuminate the rooms and hallways. Fifteen miles of pipe will be required for steam and water purposes. An immense copper lantern will form the pinnacle of the building, from which at night a powerful searchlight will flash north, furnishing a beacon to mariners visible more than 60 miles at sea.

—Prof. Angel, the eye specialist, will be at the Brockerhoff House Wednesday and Thursday Dec. 18 and 19. His usual rates will be cut 25 per cent.

Centre Countians Attention.

The Centre County Association of Philadelphia is making plans for its annual banquet to be held in that city sometime early in February. As it is the wish of the Committee in charge to have a large delegation of the present residents of Centre County attend the banquet it is requested that all those who may possibly be in Philadelphia about that time will forward their names to the Secretary at once.

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A Theatrical Santa Claus.

By JEFFERSON DE ANGELIS.

THE week before Christmas in New York, "once upon a time, not so very long ago," showed Broadway full of eager shoppers, making tracks through a heavy fall of snow which the street sweepers had not yet cleared away. Up and down the magic street and its companion arteries in the retail district a jostling crowd, pushing, fighting its way, sought to catch glimpses of the many treasures temptingly displayed in the shop windows. Great extremes of life bumped elbows. The girl from the east side, coming down from the slums to view the good things—things forbidden to her pocketbook—brushed her threadbare skirts against the fur lined gown of the daughter of the rich. The almond eyed Celestial from the Chinese district mingled the opium scent of his blouse with the delicate violet of the well dressed crowd. Children from Fifth avenue in their smart clothes edged away from squalidly dressed urchins with unwashed faces and uncombed hair.

There was happy contentment reflected on the faces of thousands, in contrast to the pinched, hungry, hopeless, feverish eyed faces of the other thousands so strangely mingled on the world's greatest thoroughfare.

At the Rialto theater great preparations were in progress for the production of a new comic opera. Rehearsals had been going on from early morning until midnight, day in and day out. The back of the big stage was a veritable chaos. Unfinished scenery and mysterious looking "props" were being skillfully fashioned into counterfeit presentations of camels, for there was to be a grand march of the king's caravan across the desert. There was an elephant, too, as big as life, and os-

THE TWINKLING LIGHTS ILLUMINATED THE FIGURE OF SANTA CLAUS.

triches and weird objects, all piled in confusion with artificial plants and floral devices, glittering armor and all the thousands of odd things that were being prepared for the most dazzling comic opera of the year, "The Minstrel of the Sahara."

The scenic artists had been working day and night for weeks, and, with the "opening" now only a few days off, the managers were nervously dreading that the beautiful effects would not be finished in time. To add to this fear, Henry Granger, the artist on whom the projectors of the great spectacle had mainly depended, had succumbed to the strain of working for days and nights without sleep and scarcely stopping for anything to eat. He lay at his little east side home, tossing and raving in the delirium of typhoid fever. He had been absent from the "painter's bridge" for nearly a fortnight, and, although his loss was considered serious at first, some one else had filled his place, and now he was forgotten. Scenic artists, like actors, are improvident creatures, and if any of the warm hearted stage folk had had time to think of aught except the duties that weighed so heavily on each and every one they might have thought that the sick man, out of work and helplessly ill, might be suffering for want of money. Granger was a favorite generally, and many a time had he gone down into his scant savings to help swell a contribution to some needy professional in distress. If anything ever reminded the company of Granger's absence it might have been that his little girl, an only one of seven, came no more with the artist's meals, as she used to when he painted away up there on the "bridge." She was a sweetly coy little thing, her great blue eyes set in a thoughtful and pale face, surrounded by golden curls.

And now it was Christmas eve, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Old Pete, the stage door tender, was startled from his reveries back in the shadow of his cage by the sweet voice of a child. She had "a note from mamma to Mr. Hardcraft, the manager." No, the manager was not around just then, but she could wait. He might be back any moment. Tenderly the rough old fellow led the bonny one to a proscenium box and, lifting her into a big upholstered chair, which she far from filled, bade her wait. A busy rehearsal was in progress, which the child watched with no special curiosity, for the sight was a familiar one to her, until after a succession of nods she fell asleep.

Every one on the stage was too busy to notice the mite as she rested there, one foot curled under, her pretty face snugly pressed into the corner of the softly padded chair. Her red tam had slipped off, and her hair was loosely massed in ringlets about her face and neck. In a few minutes the stage manager abruptly stopped the evolutions and singing to announce that an hour would be given for something to eat. So there followed a hurrying to nearby cafes and lunch places, and the big theater was left dark and silent, where only a few moments previous had resounded the voices of chorus, the shuffling and patter of feet and the shouts of the excited director. After awhile, one by one and in pairs and more, the company began to assemble again. There was still a good half hour, and the boys and girls of the chorus accepted the opportunity to chat and gossip as they sat on boxes, bundles of carpet or even squatted on the floor of the stage, their talk causing a hum to resound throughout the big auditorium.

And still the child slept on.

Suddenly there was an ominous hush as Manager Hardcraft strode upon the stage, shaking snow from his fur lined coat and shining silk hat. His keen eyes pierced the darkness toward the boxes, probably in an effort to detect any of the company who might be stealing some comfort in the box seats, a privilege strictly forbidden. He roughly demanded to know who the "kid" was asleep in one of his forty dollar chairs. Calling old Pete from his post at the back, he wanted to know who let her in, anyway. Going to the little sleeper, Pete deftly took the envelope from the little hand which still clasped it, however loosely. The great man impatiently tore open the note, gave it a swift glance, crunched it and, throwing it among the footlights, gave a pull at his cigar and strode hurriedly into the street. The company crowded forward to view the little intruder. Tony Thompson, the comedian of the organization, picked up the note, straightened out its creases and read aloud:

John Hardcraft, Esq., Manager the Rialto Opera Company:

Dear Sir—I beg indulgence for thus intruding upon your time and patience. It is with reluctance I write to ask if you cannot send me a few dollars to be paid back as soon as my husband is able to work again. I have used all the money he has saved for the doctor's bill and to purchase medicine and our necessities. We have not had a cent in the house for two days now, and not only are we—my little daughter and myself—in need of food, but I fear that if I cannot renew the prescriptions for the medicine the doctor has ordered Mr. Granger will have a relapse. I dislike very much to ask this favor of you, but our condition is becoming desperate. You will be doing an act of kindness we shall never forget if you will send something to aid us in our predicament, and may God bless you for it. Respectfully, HELEN GRANGER.

Some one put his hand deep into his pocket and brought up a piece of money, and then without a word there was a tinkling of dimes, quarters and halves as they dropped into the hat of the fat and rosy little comedian. The collection was tied up in a handkerchief and noiselessly placed into the lap of the sleeping child.

But that was not all. A happy thought came to the comedian, now as serious as a Hamlet. From a roll of money he whipped a twenty dollar bill. In a very few minutes the property man and his assistant had placed on the stage in front of the sleeping girl a nice green Christmas tree, purchased without much ado from the vender on the corner. Others had hurriedly brought little red, white and blue candles, strings of popcorn, tinsel and candy hearts, which were quickly attached to the boughs of the cedar. While this was going on Tony was giving orders in rapid succession, as follows:

"Quick, there, Jennie; bring that big Cossack coat with the fur all around the edges. Bill, run for those boots. Hurry, now. Somebody get me an old man's wig, long white hair, mind you, and a beard. There, that's just the thing. Here, you all stand back in the shadow. Now, girls, sing softly the music that [illegible] the queen's ball in the ballet. That's it—just a little softer!"

The sound of celestial music filled the place. It was dark save where the twinkling lights of the Christmas tree illuminated the figure of the merry Santa Claus standing alongside, with his kindly face turned toward the slowly awakening child. She opened her eyes, blinked them again from the light, sat straight, rubbed her eyes with her tiny fists, stirred herself and then, settling back in the big chair, sobbed aloud. Jumping down from the stage, the Santa Claus took her on his lap and tightly held her in his arms.

"What's the matter, little one? Don't you see that Santa Claus has come to take care of you?"

"Yes, I know, dear Santa, but I am crying because I am afraid I'll wake up and find it isn't real." And the trembling child huddled closer.

"But it is real, and you are not asleep. See this handkerchief filled with money for your dear sick papa. Now take it home, and tonight be sure to hang up your stocking, both of them, for when every little boy and girl is asleep I am going to make my rounds, and I am not going to forget you."—Atlanta Constitution.

Turkey Once a Side Dish.

Turkeys, mince pies and plum puddings are now regarded as the chief items in the Christmas dinner, but at one time they were mere side dishes in an enormous number of courses.

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THE NEWSBOYS' PIE.

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The superintendent laughs—it is Christmas eve. He taps one tentatively on the bulging shirt. "What have you here, my lad?"

"Me pie," responds he, with an innocent look. "I was scart it would get stole."

A little fellow who has been eying one of the visitors attentively takes his knife out of his mouth and points it at him with conviction.

"I know you," he pipes. "You're a p'lice commissioner. I seen yer picture in the papers. You're Bingham!"

The clatter of knives and forks ceases suddenly. Seven pies creep stealthily over the edge of the table and are replaced on as many plates. The visitors laugh. It was a case of mistaken identity.—Century.

Where Bells Ring Underground.

Near Raleigh, in Nottinghamshire, England, there is a valley said to have been caused by an earthquake several hundreds of years ago, and it is now usual on Christmas morning for old men and women to tell their children and young friends to go to the valley, stoop down and hear the bells ringing merrily in the ruins of the church under the ground.—Tit-Bits.

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Weak Lungs and Catarrh.

Miss Beulah B. Broome, 409 12th St., N. E., Washington, D. C., writes:

"I have suffered from ***weak lungs and catarrhal troubles*** for four years brought on by many neglected colds, but on the recommendation of a friend I gave ***Peruna*** an honest trial and I am pleased to state that it ***restored me to perfect health.*** There is not the slightest trace of catarrh in my system and my lungs are perfectly sound. I unhesitatingly give this testimonial."

Catarrh of the Worst Form.

Mrs. Amanda Long, 7237 Seeley Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I believe that I am cured of ***catarrh of the worst form*** and of long standing. I was almost a total wreck. I tried almost everything, and doctored with a number of doctors, but they did me no good. I tried Peruna as a last resort, and by the time I had taken one bottle I could see that it was helping me, so I continued taking it. I can now say I have not felt the ***slightest symptoms*** for three months, and I think there is ***nothing like Peruna.*** I cannot praise it too highly."

Headache and Neuralgia.

Mrs. M. Kliner, 2648 E. 36 street, S. E., Cleveland, Ohio, writes:

"I am enjoying good health since I have taken your medicine. I had ***suffered*** for a good many years previous to taking Peruna, and ever since I can say I do not know what ***headache or what neuralgia is.***"

A Shrewd Saying.

An old sage has said that the best present that one can give another is something that will last a long time and keep the friendship of the donor always fresh in the mind of the person to whom the presentation is made.

That is the very sort of a Christmas present a year's subscription to the New York Sunday World will prove to be. Order from your newsdealer while there is yet time.

The profit of a gold mine depends, not on the amount of rock crushed under the stamps but upon the amount of gold which can be extracted from the rock. In a similar way the value of food which is eaten does not depend on the quantity which is taken into the stomach but upon the amount of nourishment extracted from it by the organs of nutrition and digestion. When these organs are diseased they fail to extract the nourishment in sufficient quantities to supply the needs of the several organs of the body, and these organs cannot work without nourishment. The result is heart "trouble," liver "trouble" and many another ailment. Dr. Pierce Golden Medical Discovery, acting on every of the digestive and nutritive system, restores it to health and vigor. It cures diseases remote from the stomach through the stomach in which they originated. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains neither alcohol nor narcotics.

Answer to a Poem in the Watchman Entitled, "Wanted Advice."

If a woman with a temper
Shook her fist beneath my nose,
Should I step around behind her
And find a broom stick in her clotnes.

I would never take the chances,
If the ground was nice and level,
I would leave the raging lady
And run to beat the Devil.

The Matrimonial Market.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register Earle C. Tuten

Wm. B. Krape Margaret H. Stiver	Centre Hall " "
Silas Wetmore Katharine Dale	Spartanburg So., Car. Lemont
Charles A. Hennick Clara B. Decker	Spring Mills Roland

Mine Explosion Near Birmingham.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 17.—Shortly after 10 o'clock this morning an explosion occurred in the mines of the Yolande Coal and Coke Company near Bessemer. A relief train left soon after for the scene of the wreck. Fifty men are in the mines. No further particulars received up to 1 o'clock this afternoon.

—Xmas tree and fancy candles- Bush's

Howe Shows Rare Life Motion Scenes.

Lyman H. Howe's life-rama, a realistic combination of up to date moving pictures and appropriate sounds, opened its seventh annual engagement in Boton at Tremont Temple last evening.

The popularity of this form of entertainment was evident from the crowd that attended and watched for two hours a succession of wonderful marine and land views. The reproduction with appropriate sounds of the attack on Whale Island, in Portsmouth Harbor, Eng., which King Edward arranged for the entertainment of the King of Denmark last spring called forth a repeated applause.

Coasting in Switzerland, diamond mining in Africa, railroading in the Austrian Tyrol, yachting at Cowes, Eng., coolies laying the Cape to Cairo railway, and the Elks' parade in Philadelphia, are some of the features of the fine programme.—Boston Post.

Gained Weight on Cactus.

Los Angeles, Cal. Dec. 17.—Dr. Leon Elbert Landone gave a dinner to six physicians of this city to celebrate the completion of his 14th day's food test. During this period Dr. Landone ate almost exclusively spineless cactus, and cactus was one of the chief features at the dinner. The menu consisted of celery and cactus soup, omelet with chopped cactus and green peppers, fried cactus, salad made of cactus fruit, lettuce, celery, sherbet flavored with the fruit of the cactus and juice of the cactus fruit as a drink.

"Not only did my strength continue unimpaired by my experimental diet," said Dr. Landone, "but I gained half a pound."

A Brave Fellow.

A little fellow who had been brought up a staunch teetotaler was about to be apprenticed. The Fireman offered him a glass of beer. The little fellow said "I never touch that stuff."

"Hello youngster," replied the fireman, "we have no teetotalers here."

"If you have me you'll have one," returned the boy.

The fireman was irritated and holding up the glass of beer he said" Now my boy there is only one master here, you'll either have this inside or outside,"

The little fellow said" well you can please yourself, I brought my clean jacket with me and a good character, you may spoil my jacket but you can't my character."

Williamsport Commercial College.

Eighty calls for bookkeepers and stenographers received since September first. Winter term begings January 6th. Trail lessons and catalogue free. We also teach by mail.

CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondents must be in this office not later than Tuesday evening. And local matter must be written only on one side of the paper. Correspondents will kindly notice these requests.

Millheim.

Last Monday and Tuesday rain fell in torrents, flooding many cellars. On Wednesday, colder with snow flurries.

James M. Clark; C. F. Maclay, F. W. Hickey and W. W. Reno of Harrisburg, representatives of the State Board of Health, in town last week, inspecting the waters in this locality, that empty into Penns Creek.

George E. Steen of Phoenixville, was here with a car load of cows which he sold last week.

Quite a number of people attended the public sale at the residence of C. S. Grim in Brush Valley last Friday.

George Miller of Woodward has had his pension increased from from $12 to $20 per month by the new pension act of Feb. 1907. He is about 82 years of age.

Jacob Emerick who has been sick for a number of months, has slightly improved under the care of Dr. C. Summer Musser of Aaronsburg.

The representatives of the the State Board of Health who were here for several days, left on Friday for Union Co.

Joe D. Winters of New Berlin and James I. Thompson of York, was in town a few days looking up life insurance

John Smith the furniture dealer of Spring Mills transacted business here recently.

J. C. Moyer of Sunbury was in town one day last week.

T. B. Kramer and Mrs. Loughlin of Renova shipped 600 Christmas trees last Saturday to Harrisburg. These trees were obtained near town.

Charles D. Kyle of Milroy was in town last Friday night on business.

D. W. Zeigler is home on a few days visit to his family.

Snow on Sunday forenoon and the merry jingle of sleigh bells were heard on the streets.

After a few months work of remodeling and repairing at the Reformed church in this borough, it was re-opened on last Sunday evening. The opening sermon was preached by Rev. Frank Wetzel of Reberesburg, assisted by Rev. W. D. Donat the preacher in charge. The inside of the church commands a fine appearance. A new chandalier has been put in the audience room, and the old chandalier into the chapel. The old seats in the chapel were removed and chairs substituted. The cost was about $400, which was paid—Mr. A. Bartges had charge of the work

Moshannon.

Miss Elizabeth Fleming, teaching at Morrisdale Mines, and a former teacher of one of our schools, Sundayed at the home of John McGowan at this place.

Master Mahlon Bierly, whose parents live at Port Treverton, Snyder county, and formerly of this place, is spending a few days with many of his friends and acquaintances in this vicinity.

Rev. W. C. Charlton, of Munson, Clearfield County, preached in the M. E. Church here on Sunday last. A large congregation was present and expressed their appreciation of the man's ability and earnestness.

Miss Lucy Fleming of Youngdale, visited at the home of her sister here during the week.

Among those who have been on the sick list recently, are, Mrs. Lucy Cramer, Mrs. J. W. Howard, Clyde Quick, James Diem, C. Lucas and Harvey Eisenrath.

Several inches of snow fell here during the week, which makes sledding quite good. This will give the lumbermen an opportunity to have their logs hauled, the careless to get a load or two of coal put into their bins and the "young folks" to enjoy an old fashioned sled ride, if they have energy enough left, to take advantage of this delightful snow.

We thought we heard wedding bells ringing, in our neighborhood, but, perhaps, we were mistaken, and it was Christmas bells instead. However, we think the contracting parties, might take advantage of the ringing bells and make them serve a double purpose

Woodward

Mr. Elmer Smith and son Leon from Spring Mills spent a day with Mrs. Walter last week.

Joe Ard, wife and two boys are visiting friends at Mifflinburg.

Charles Kreamer who is attending college at Edinboro is home visiting his parents.

Noah Eby, the distiller is visiting his children at Lewistown and Yeagertown this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hosterman visited friends at Aaronsburg Sunday.

Mrs. Wolfe is spending a few days with her aged mother Mrs. George Miller at Linden Hall.

Robert Snyder of Milton is visiting his many friends.

A Popular Priest Dead.

The summons of death came to Rev Father J. C. Farran, dean of the Catholic priesthood in Central Pennsylvania and well known in Bellefonte, Monday morning about 8 o'clock at the rectory of St. Columba's church at Johnstown, after an illness of about one week. Father Farran was taken ill with heart trouble which together with his advanced years was the cause of his death.

He was aged 79 years and was in the priesthood during the past fifty-three years being the oldest priest in the Altoona diocese and having a longer record in the priesthood than any other priest in the Catholic church in the state with but one or two exceptions. He was ordained to the priesthood at Pittsburg and has been located at Johnstown during the past twenty years. Previous to that time he was rector of St. Mathew's Catholic church at Tyrone serving in that capacity for a period of twenty-seven years. He was well known in Bellefonte and had many friends here among all faiths.

—If you want fine candies as Lowney and Wescotts and all grades of cheap candies go to J. S. Keichline.

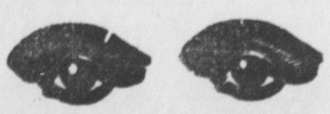
—Water color sets 5c to $1.50. Bush's

Prof. J. Angel.

Eyesight Specialist.

WEDNESDAY morning until THURSDAY Evening

Dec. 18th and 19th.



TO MY PATRONS: Having become established in Centre and adjoining counties as a successful eye specialist I have concluded that it will be to the best interests of myself and the public to make a reduction of 25 per cent in all my charges. This will enable those who have felt they could not afford to pay former prices to secure proper treatment of their eyes at the lowest possible expense.

If you wish to save your eyesight and money too, don't fail to call on Prof. Angel. All parents are advised to have their childrens eyes examed especially those that go to school. You will there-by make a good scholar and avoid suffering. At the Brockerhoff House Wednesday morning until Thursday Evening, Dec. 18th and 19th.

Sunday Afternoon.

Sunday afternoon is the problem of the week. The morning can take care of itself. There is the Sunday school for the small folks, the church for the older ones, then the good—extra good—Sunday dinner, and after that, what?

The grown up folks can take a book, or a walk, or a nap—but the little ones are restless. They "wonder what we can do." They wish it wasn't Sunday;" they "wish somebody would come;" they "wish we could hear a good story"—in short, they are in a sad state of ennui, and need some kindly assistance just then and there.

Now it certainly is not fair to deprive a child of all his everyday amusements, and expect him to "keep the day holy," unless he has something to keep it with. If he cannot play his usual noisy games, or have half the boys of the neighborhood in to help him, then you must give him some especially tempting substitute, and yourself be a pleasant companion. The first thing, of course, is a reading spell. All children love to hear reading. There is something attractive in the voice—a sense of companionship that they enjoy even if they do not quite understand the subject-matter. Do not be too careful about "reading down" to these little minds. They are wiser than you think and will remember even if they do not take in all the beauties of the best literature. It is well to choose books that will widen the children's field of scriptural knowledge—all about the Holy Land, its hills and valleys, and grand old mountains, its plains and rivers and sear, books that will tell all about the City of Jerusalem, and the little town of Bethlehem, and the people who used to live there, and those who live there today; books that describe the gardens and flowers and birds and cattle; that talk about the children of that land, how they live and learn and play, just as they do in other countries. And while you read; take time to weave in the Bible stories, the things that happened in that far-off land. Very soon you will find that the children will recall the things they hear in Sunday school, will tell you stories in return for those you read. Read to them about the noble deeds of past and present, about good people, about the birds and flowers, and all their "little brothers of the wild" that share with them this beautiful world of ours.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain in th Bellefonte P. O. uncalled for Dec. 14th 1907.

Grace Boob, John Estight, Jonn Hanzo, Herbie McClellan, W. C. Walker.

When called for please say advertised.

T. H. HARTER.

Additional Locals.

Pretty calendars & Xmas books. Bush

—He who thinks he knows enough, stands very little chance of ever learning any more.

—Frank Pascarella, of Atlantic City, accomplished the remarkable feat of killing two rabbits with one shot while hunting Thursday.

—Womans' shorely is mighty queer. Dey don't want yer ter' member how ole dey is, but dey 'gets pow'ful het up ef yo jergets der birthday.

—The boiler house and out buildings of the Philadelphia Pure Rye Whiskey Company were burned Wednesday, causing a loss of $30,000.

—Get into the habit of looking for the silver lining of the cloud, and when you have found it, continue to look at it, rather than at the gray in the middle.

—Is it any wonder that the milk man gets a little shaky now and then? Why this morning we saw a whiskey bottle sitting with two milk bottles in front of one of our prominent residences.

—The two-cent rate has not been very profitable to the P. R. R., but has caused them a loss of over $64,000 in lines in this state during October, but in Pa. lines outside of this state, they have had a great increase in their revenue.

—Because his wife refused to make back to him a deed to a two-flat building in which they lived, Frank Nelson book-keeper for Swift & Company, killed her, shot his mother-in-law and now is held at the Sheffield avenue police station.

—The body of George Witney of Centerbury, was found lying dead beside a deer which he had killed in the woods near Northfield on Thursday. Death was due to heart failure, resulting from the excitement of a long chase and the shooting of the deer.

—Lillian Wulft, of Chicago, a child 8 years old, was kidnapped last Saturday and was located Thursday. Her parents are too poor to offer a ransom. She was pretty, but not exceptionally beautiful. A more extended account will be given in our next issue.

—Now the sleigh bells are jingling to the merry rhythm of the voices of the young and the boys and girls coasting down the hillside join the merry throng, while the older folks still say, "Aint it awful," but the reason they all give is, that the snow has come proper.

—Dr. Thomas J. Gilmore, ex-coroner of Lycoming county, committed suicide in the cellar of his office on Fourth St. directly in the rear of the Updegraff, hotel, Williamsport, about 12 o'clock Friday noon. He cut his throat with a scalpel. He was found by his wife and Mrs. William Scott.

—Interesting letters have been received at the Academy during the past week from the Wisner children who had reached Gibralter in safety enroute to meet their parents at Naples, Italy. They had a delightful voyage and are in happy spirits of anticipation over the parental meeting.

—Savario Di Giovanni, New Jersey's first victim of the electric chair, substituted for the gibbet in capital punishment, was snocked to death Wednesday in the state prison at Trenton, N. J. The execution was featureless. Dio Giovanni's crime was the murder of Joseph Sansome, in Raritan, September 22.

—This is the engine (No. 1771) that piloted the McKinley funeral train from Renova to Harrisburg. It has been on that branch for several days and probably will continue to run on that road for a while. This engine has also some other distinctions. If you haven't seen it yet, take a look at it, it is on the siding every morning,

—A State College student, who's name could not be found out, was hurt at the skating rink Saturday night. There was a large crowd present and "Peno," as he was called was skating pretty fast and stopped too suddenly. The result was that he received a very painful injury by straining his ankle. He was taken to a doctor at once. The skating rink is not dangerous if used right, and this might be a warning to careless skaters.

—News came from Entiat, Wash., that 1000 sheep were recently drowned in Mad river. The sheep were being driven from the Cascade mountains to the Entiat valley to winter. While the flock was going down a mountain side, the leaders slipped on the sleet covered ground and rolled over a precipice into the Mad river below. Like Panurges sheep, the rest of the flock plunged into the river despite the efforts of the shepherds to restrain the frightened sheep.

—Bright, lively, humorous and full of action, "At the Ferry," in the Petrikin Hall tomorrow evening, is sure to please. Rehearsals for this comic production, have been held during the past two week under the direction of Miss Lulu Mae Wilcox. Funny characters that always frequent public places, will be found in the ferry station. Uncle Rube and Mrs. Troublesome, are but types of queer people who have a part in the cast. This entertainment is a Y. M. C. A. benefit and reserved seats may be secured at P. D. Sheffer's store, for 35 and 50 cents; general admission 25 cents.

—Fine imported and domestic cigars in boxes of 25 cents and fine pipes at J. S. Keichline.

—If you want fine imported nuts and bananas, oranges, white grapes, celery, lettuce and oysters ex-selects 45 cents go to J. S. Keichline.

—Last Sunday there was a Friend's Meeting House at Unionville, that was crowded with people in commemoration of the 100th birthday of John Greenleaf Whittier.

—The Teacher's local institute for Bellefonte borough, Benner, Spring, and Walker township, will be held in the H ward street building at Bellefonte on Saturday, January 18th 1908

—You grow strong; blood pure, nerves steady, cheeks red and rosy, you are well and happy again after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Give it a trial. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. C. M. Parrish.

—J. K. Johnson, of Tyrone and Mr. Lincoln of Williamsport, entertained some railroad men at the Nittany County Club Tuesday evening. They were making an inspection of the Bald Eagle railroad.

—The jury commissioners are busy filing the jury wheel for the year of 1908. The object of these officials is to select the very best men in the country and to change the system of putting the same men in the wheel year after year.

—Lord Kelvin, the noted scientist, died Tuesday in Glasgow, England. He had been ill for some time and his death was not unexpected. He was twice married but leaves no children. Deceased was one of the leading scientists of the world.

—The Union Avenue Bank of Commerce which was obliged to close by the suspension of the National Bank of Commerce reopened for business. All the small banks carried down by the National Bank of Commerce's failure have now been rehabilitated.

—During the season of navigation on the Great Lakes just closed 38 vessels, with a total tonnage of 2,010,000 passed out of existence as the result of collisions, fires and other accidents. The aggregate loss in value was $1,692,000. There were 447 casualties of all kinds.

—Mrs. Genevieve Howard of Boston, gave her interpretation of "As you like it" to a good crowd in the Opera House Monday evening. The interest displayed did not flag but was evident until the close. The audience was composed of some of our most noted people in town. They all enjoyed it.

—Mail carrier John Brachbill, of Williamsport, is now rejoicing over the arrival of a bouncing boy. The babe weighs eight pounds and will be named in honor of his grandfather, John Calvin Brachbill. The stork has been very kind to John, and his many friends in this place extend to him their congratulations.

—The State Superintendent of Public Instruction has appointed the following gentlemen to be members of the Committee on Permanent Certificates for Centre County for the three years beginning December 1, 1907; Jonas E. Wagner, Bellefonte: C. Dison Kock, Philipsburg, and William P. Hosterman, Penn Hall: The next examination will be held a Bellefonte, April 17th and 18th, 1909.

—The annual dinner of the Centre County Bar Association was held at the Nittany County Club Saturday evening. The weather was not just the best but nevertheless those present had a delightful time and will anxiously await another such event. There was quite a number of members there and all joined in making the event a very enjoyable affair.

—Lillian Wulff, the eight-year-old girl kidnapped from in front of her home in Chicago last Friday was found wondering near Momence, Ill. The child was only half clad and almost dead from cold and exhaustion. She had escaped during the night from a band of gypsie that had held her captive since they spirited her away from Chicago. W. J. Riley, a deputy sheriff of Momence, found the little girl and she has been taken to his home. Physicians were called at once, and, although her condition from the exposure and suffering is grave, the doctors said she would recover. The child was five miles south of Momence when found. She said she had escaped several times from the gypsies, but that each time she had been recaptured.

—Mr. Bush presented this office with a set of Bellefonte and vicinity views of which he has just received a consignment of nine thousand direct from Dresden, Germany from lithographers who do the finest work in the world. Some of the new views are very pretty and are named as follows: "Bush House looking down High St.," "One of the switches famous Snow Shoe switchback," "View from Reservoir Hill looking out Allegheny St.," "West Bishop street," "The Angelers Rest," "A pretty view of Spring Creek," "The Long Reach" "Another pretty view of Spring Creek showing Eagle's Nest Rock and the willows at State College." The above named lot, added to his already enormous variety, certainly puts Bellefonte away in the lead on the variety of local cards, and their beauty and workmanship, over any other place in the country its size or twenty times its size, all of which helps advertise the town, thanks to the enterprise.

Buying a Piano For Christmas.

Our large and varied stock of High Grade Pianos At The Lowest Possible Price, invites your inspection. If you are thinking of giving your wife or daughter a present of a piano for Christmas, you should certainly be looking around now.

You'll surely find what you want here. Best makes all included, Hallet & Davis, Behr Bros, Kohles & Campbell and others. Fine case designs, and great range of prices. Our prices are not startling, and our easy payment plan will appeal to you, if you do not have the ready cash.

Upright Pianos, slightly used, at bargain prices. Square Pianos, from $50 upward. We carry a full line of sheet music, from the best publishers in the country. Rec'd monthly. Prices 15 cents to 25 cents.

We invite you to call.

M. C. GEPHART.

29 S. Alleghny St.,

Bellefonte, Pa.

Father Fatally Hurt While Getting Ready for Christmas.

Cleveland, Dec. 18.—His anxiety to prevent his children from seeing the Christmas gifts he was bringing home caused Bernard McGorder to receive injuries Saturday night from which he is dying.

McGorder has three children, and he promised that Santa Claus would bring them all sorts of nice presents on Christmas. Saturday night he did some shopping, purposely delaying his return home until he was sure the children were in bed.

When he arrived at his home he did not light the gas or make a noice for fear the children, who were on the lookout for Santa, would awaken and investigate. He had his arms filled with bundles, the toys he had purchased.

McGorder walked through the house and opened a door that he thought led upstairs. He stepped forward and fell down the cellar stairs. He struck on his head and fractured his skull. He is dying.

HEAD QUARTERS FOR

CHRISTMAS

SANTY has been working very hard for the last two months at Sourbeck's Candy Kitchen to make enough of those Pure Candies to supply the demand.

We have the largest line of plain and fine candies ever put on sale in Bellefonte, consisting of Huylers, one, two, three and five pound boxes.

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Stacy's Fine Chocolates and Bon Bons.

Don't forget our Hand Made clear Toys, made of pure sugar.

A full line of Fruit, Nuts, Celery and sealed shipped oysters.

The largest line of Christmas Greens ever brought to town. Holly Rings, loose Holly, Crow Foot, Laurel by the yard and Mistletoe.

Don't forget our famous Nut Candies, Almond, Walnut, Pea nut and Maple Pecans. Home made Caramels, Turkish Caramels, and best of all our Celebrased salt farinna Taffy. Dont forget—the goods come under the head of the pure foods laws and we guarantee every thing we sell.

We have a very beautiful line of half pound boxes in the Moving Pictures line, just the thing for Schools and Churches, such as Jack be Nimble, Old King Cole, Ding Dong Dell Pussy in the Well, Goosey, Goosey Gander, Little Miss Muffet, Little Jack Horner, Hey Diddle Diddle, Santa Claus and lots of others. Special prices to Schools & Churches.

SOURBECK'S

Old Stand and Petrikin Hall.

A Hair Dressing

Nearly every one likes a fine hair dressing. Something to make the hair more manageable; to keep it from being too rough, or from splitting at the ends. Something, too, that will feed the hair at the same time, a regular hair-food. Well-fed hair will be strong, and will remain where it belongs—on the head, not on the comb!

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

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A New Creed.

The things we believe are many; the things we know are few. How would this do as a first rough draft for a New Creed?

I know.

That I am here.

In a world where nothing is permanent but change.

And that, in degree, I myself can change the form of things.

And influence a few people;

That I am influenced by these and other people.

By the example and by the work of men who are no longer alive,

And that the work I now do will, in a degree, influence people who will live after my life has changed into other forms.

That a certain attitude of mind and habit of action on my part will add to the peace, happiness and well-being of other people.

And that different thoughts and actions on my part will bring pain and discord to others.

That if I would secure reasonable happiness for myself, I must give out good-will to others.

That to better my own condition I must practice mutuality.

That health is necessary to continued and effective work.

That I am largely ruled by habit.

That habit is a form of exercise.

And that, up to certain point, exercise means increased strength or ease in effort

That all life is the expression of spirit.

That my spirit influences my body,

And my body influences my spirit.

That the universe to me is very beautiful.

And everything and everybody in it is good and beautiful.

When my body and my spirit are in harmonious mood.

That my thoughts are hopeful and helpful unless I am filled with fear.

And that to eliminate fear my life must be dedicated to useful work—work in which I forget myself.

That fresh air in abundance and moderate, systematic exercise in the open are the part of wisdom.

That I cannot afford, for my own sake, to be resentful nor quick to take offense.

That happiness is a great power for good.

And that happiness is not possible without moderation and equanimity.

That time turns all discords into harmony if men will but be kind and patient.

And that the reward which life holds out for work is not idleness, nor rest, nor immunity from work, but increased capacity, greater difficulties, more work.

Ruffled curtains in lovely patterns from 95 cents the pair up, some as low as 50 cents. GARMANS.

—Tho the earth with Jack Frost shaken
Not a man will have the aches,
If every night a dose he takes
Of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.
C. M. Parrish.

Stray Notice.

Taken up on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1907 straying and Trespassing on the improved lands of the subscriber, in Snow Shoe, Twp. Centre County on which he resides, a black heifer, no mark, rising two years. The owner is required to prove his property in the said stray, pay the damages done, all reasonable charges and the costs of keeping otherwise such stray will be sold, and proceedings be had in the case provided by law.

December 16th A. D. 1907.

WILLIAM STARK,

Charter Notice.

In the matter of the Incorporation of the Elks Club of Bellefonte, Pennsylvania. In the Court of Common Please of Centre County. No. 89. December Term. 1908.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Honorable Ellis L. Orvis, President Judge of the Court of Common Please of Centre County, on Friday, the 20th day of December, 1907, at ten o'clock A. M. under the Corporation Act of 1874 and the supplements thereto, by F. E. Naginey, Robert Cole, Sim Baum, Charles T. Noll and J. J. Kilpatrick, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Elks Club of Bellefonte, Pennsylvania," the charter and object of which is the maintenance of a home for the use and enjoyment of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, and for the promotion of the social and fraternal welfare of its members, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act and its supplements.

John J. Bower,
James A. B. Miller,
N. B. Spangler, Solicitors.

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SENSIBLE, USEFUL GIFTS for the HOLIDAYS
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ANXIOUS WAGNER.

The First Performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden.

In Ludwig Frankenstein's Wagner year book Gustav Kietz tells this story in connection with the first performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden: "On the day of the first performance Wagner asked me to meet him in front of the theater after the box office had been opened, so that he could give me and my friend Schuster, the butcher, tickets for the performance. Wagner was in a state of great excitement, and when he gave me the two tickets Heine whispered to me, 'Take some one with good big hands with you.' He watched the people as they came toward the theater, and every time one went in he would make some mark to his wife which caused satisfaction. I had to go [illegible] shall never forget the [illegible] joy of the composer when he saw groups enter the house and the disappointment when others passed the open doors. I thought of it even that evening when the enthusiasm was the greatest. How happy Wagner and his wife must have been at the following two performances, when the house was so filled that even his relatives, who had come to Dresden for that purpose, could not be admitted to the theater!"

THE DESERT SANDS.

Why the Arabs of Sahara Lose the Use of Their Eyes.

"I shall winter in the Sahara," said a traveling man. "With a caravan I shall traverse under a blinding sun and an endless plain of snow white sand, but none of my Mohammedan attendants will wear any kind of shade over his eyes.

"Against that dazzling glare the backs of their necks will be swathed in white linen, and even their ears will be protected. Nothing, though, will keep the sun out of their faces.

"Wondering about this, I said one day to the kaid of an Algerian village:

"'Why don't you Arabs wear a cap of some sort? You live in the world's worst sun glare, but neither fez nor turban under any circumstances has a peak.'

"'The Koran,' the kaid answered, 'forbids all true believers to shade their eyes. Obeying the Koran implicitly, we dwellers in the desert avoid like poison brims to our headgear. In consequence there is more blindness among us than among any other people in the world.'"—Los Angeles Times.

Victoria and Lady Millais.

It is related that when Sir John Millais fell ill Queen Victoria sent the Princess Louise to the dying man to enquire what favor she could accord him that could alleviate his sorrow if not his pain. Sir John thereupon called for his writing tablet and inscribed upon it the words, "I should like the queen to see my wife." Then the queen broke through her iron rule not to receive any woman whose marriage tie had been once dissolved, whether there be blame or not, graciously acceded to the request and accorded the sorely tried lady a tender and sympathetic interview.—St. James' Gazette.

Ambitions.

The toiler in the city had been given an advance in salary. "Now," he said jubilantly, "I can begin saving to buy a farm."

The agriculturist looked at the check received for his season's wheat. "Another such crop or two and I can move into the city," he mused.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Too Crazy.

Jones, the tailor, is informed that one of his clients has suddenly gone insane.

"Oh, the poor fellow! But he'll pay my bill at least, won't he?"

"Oh, he isn't quite insane enough for that."—Paris Journal.

Answered.

"Where shall the weary find rest?" exclaimed Rev. Dr. Fourthly, with dramatic emphasis.

A short snore from the pew occupied by Deacon Hardesty was the only response.—Chicago Tribune.

They Tax All Signs.

Every sign in Rio Janeiro is taxed. A cafe having a special "sorvete," or ice, to serve makes a placard and hangs it to a doorpost or to one of the palm trees in tubs which commonly decorate such establishments. The notice thus posted must have a revenue stamp attached. Permanent signs are taxed on a permanent basis, temporary signs on a stamped basis. A sign "House For Rent" bears a revenue stamp. Under such circumstances the tax on signboards or billboards is the expected thing, but naturally there is much less general use of such forms of advertising.

Unnecessarily Polite.

A lady tells of an experience in a Buffalo street car. The car was empty, with the exception of one man, and he was the reverse of the car. As she entered he rose, made her an unsteady but magnificent bow, and said, "Madam, please be kind enough to accept thish plashe." Rather than offend the man, there was nothing else for her to do, so she thanked him and sat down, and for seven blocks he hung from the strap, swaying in the breeze, with not a soul in the car but the two.

A Clay Pipe Trick.

The ordinary clay pipe has under the bowl a projection or heel which it would seem impossible to break from the opposite side of an ordinary table without injuring the bowl or breaking the stem. Yet it can be done with ease after two or three attempts. Break off a piece of the stem about a couple of inches will do and place it on the table so that it projects a little over the edge. Ask a friend to hold the pipe obliquely, heel upward and the bowl higher than the end of the stem. He can do this by inserting his little finger in the bowl. Now get your piece in proper line with the stem of the pipe and strike it forcibly and well with the palm of your hand. The piece will fly across the table along the stem and break the heel clean off.

This seems amazing at first sight, but any one with a "straight eye" can do it with very little practice.

Degrees of Pity.

The Bachelor—Don't you pity us old bachelors?

Young Widow—Yes, but I don't suppose I pity you as much as the old maids do.—Chicago News

Woman's Watchword Is Modesty.

Whatever threatens woman's delicate sense of modesty, frightens her. For this reason many a woman permits disease of the delicate womanly organs to become aggravated because she cannot bring herself to submit to the ordeal of unpleasant questionings, offensive examinations, and obnoxious local treatments, which most physicians think necessary. Doubtless thousands of the women who have taken advantage of Dr. Pierce's offer of free consultation by letter have been led to do so by the escape thus offered from a treatment repugnant to modesty.

Any sick woman may write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., in perfect confidence; all letters of consultation being treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers being sent in plain envelopes with no advertising or other printing upon them. Such consultation costs you nothing whether you take treatment from Dr. Pierce or not.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been long hailed as a "God-send to women." It makes weak women strong and sick women well. It enables women suffering from "female weakness," prolapsus uteri, retroversion, anteversion, and other displacements of the organs distinctly feminine, to cure themselves right in the privacy of their homes. Pelvic catarrhal drains, painful or irregular periods, backache, frequent headaches, weak nerves, dragging-down pain or distress in the lower abdominal, or pelvic, region, gnawing sensation in stomach, dizziness, or faint spells, and kindred conditions and symptoms are cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is not a secret or patent medicine, against the use of which most people of intelligence naturally object, but is, in fact, the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated and experienced physician in the treatment of woman's peculiar ailments and who is not afraid to publish all its ingredients, as he does, on its bottle-wrapper, attesting the correctness of the same under oath.

"Favorite Prescription" is the *one* medicine for woman's delicate ailments which contains neither alcohol nor harmful, habit-forming drugs, being a pure glyceric extract of curative principles found in our most valuable native, medicinal roots, as attested by many of the most eminent medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. It is made of native American medicinal roots and is perfectly harmless in its effects *in any condition of the female system.*

As a powerful invigorating tonic "Favorite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For over-worked, "worn-out," run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," house-keepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequaled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

As a soothing and strengthening nervine "Favorite Prescription" is unequaled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the uterus. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

You can't afford to accept a *secret* nostrum as a substitute for this PROVEN REMEDY OF KNOWN COMPOSITION.

"The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgement are effected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It enriches and purifies the blood thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

In the cure of scrofulous swellings, enlarged glands, open eating ulcers, or old sores, the "Golden Medical Discovery" has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the open sores Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist don't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can easily procure it by inclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post. Most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

You can't afford to accept any medicine of *unknown composition* as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine OF KNOWN COMPOSITION, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, the same being attested as correct under oath.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. One to three a dose. Easy to take as candy.

Classified Advertisements

WANTED—A cook at the hospital at once.

LOST—A child's necklace, finder please return to this office.

WANTED—A young lady to learn the printing trade at this office.

FOR RENT—A good house for rent on Bishop street by J. M. Keichline.

Wanted—A girl in small family. Good Wages. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—Base burner heater hard coal stove for sale. Apply to D. Willard.

WANTED—Old papers, will pay 1cent a pound at the Swing Factory, Bellefonte, Pa.

—Wanted—Six room house with bath by small family. Address "E" Daily News.

For Sale—A good cow. Fresh in November. Apply to Toner Hugg, Milesburg.

Lost—A fine gold necklace. Finder please return to this office and be highly rewarded.

LOST—Pair of gold eye glasses. Finder will be rewarded if left with J. C. Rumberger at C. R. R. freight station. d-3t

FOR SALE—House and lot of R. M. Magee estate on North Penn street, Bellefonte Pa. Apply to Clement Dale Esq., or H. Y. Stitzer.

WANTED—Manager for Branch office, we wish to locate here in Bellefonte, Pa. Address with reference, the Morris Wholesale House Cincinnati Ohio, d-11-27-1month.

WANTED: Reliable men to take orders for nursery stock, fast selling specialties, liberal terms, steady employment, pay weekly. Rice Bros., Geneva, N. Y;

WANTED—A good hustler to sell our celebrated tea, coffee, spices, extract, baking powder, etc., liberal commission, or terms apply or write,

GRAND UNION TEA, Co.,
Williamsport, Pa.

LOST—On Bishop Street, between Allegheny Street and Shower's residence, small black purse containing between three and four dollars. Reward if returned to Thomas Donachy at 15 W. Bishop street.

—Pianos tuned and repaired. J. J. Lejeal expert piano tuner and repairer, of Erie will arrive on or about Dec. 5. Orders left at Philip Beezer's meat market will receive prompt attention.

Wanted—Local representative for Bellefonte and vicinity to look after renewals and increase subscription list of a prominent monthly magazine, on a salary and commission basis. Experience desirable but not necessary. Good opportunity for right person. Address Publisher, Box 59, Station O, New York. d-1w.

HELP WANTED—Men or women to represent The American Magazine, edited by F. P. Dunne ("Mr. Dooley"), Ida M. Tarbell, Lincoln Steffens, etc Straight proposition. Good pay. Continuing interest from year to year in business created. Experience and capital not necessary. Good opportunity. Write J. N. Trainer, 23 West 20th Street. d-10-23-1wk.

Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—don't forget the name, and accept no substitute. Get DeWitt's. It's good for piles. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

—Tho the earth with Jack Frost shakes
Not a man will have the aches,
If every night a dose he takes
Of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.
C. M. Parrish.

Jack and Jill were both quite ill,
Now each is well and wiser,
For blues and headaches have to go,
When they take an Early Riser,
De Witt's Little Early Riser Pills are sold by, Green's Pharmacy.

—Prof. Angel, the eye specialist, will be at the Brockerhoff House Wednesday and Thursday Dec. 18 and 19. His usual rates will be cut 25 per cent.

Whenever you feel that your stomach has gone a little wrong, or when you feel that it is not in good order as is evidence by mean headaches nervousness bad breath, anb belchidg, take something at times, and especially after your meals until relief is afforded. There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles, Dyspepsia, indigestion, etc., than KODOL This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. KODOL is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take; it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

—You grow strong; blood pure, nerves steady, cheeks red and rosy, you are well and happy again after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Give it a trial. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. C. M. Parrish.

..HOLIDAY GOODS..

"The early bird catches the worm". The early shopper secures the pick of the goods---We have a line of goods suitable for practical gifts that we would be pleased to show you—Such as

Comb and Brush Sets.
Shaving Sets.
Smokers Sets,
Infant Sets,
Manicure Sets,
Choice Cigars,
Military Brushes.
Cloth Brushes,
Choice Perfumes,
Souvenir Papeterie,
Pocket Books,
Hand Bags, Etc.

You will find both goods and prices right.

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Green's Pharmacy Co.,

The Rexall Store.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

JUST

WHAT YOU WANT

AT PRICES within your reach. You are aware of course that the cost of living has some what increased during recent years. Why not cut down your table supply bills to the utmost by purchasing of this money saving house. At present we are selling good things to eat at followes;

New paper shell almonds, English walnuts, pecans. filberts and Brazil nuts. Lots of black walnuts. Florida oranges and fine bananas arriving almost daily. Extra quality of Malaga grapes 15 and 20c a pound, choice canned goods of all kinds, our olives are fine, our own make of mince meat all kinds of crackers and cakes, pure sugar table syrup at 40, 50 and 60cts, new orleans baking syrup, the nicest kind of dried fruits, including raisins (seedless or with sceds) prunes apple snits, peaches, etc. The very best candies and new Erbely figs, Shmidts bread and rolls. Fresh Oysters and Cranberries. Breakfast foods of many kinds.

SECHLER & CO.

Bellefonte, Penna.

—Playing cards in great variety. Bush.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

—A 200 Post Card Album, 25c. Bush's.

When winds shriek high in fiendish glee,
And enters winter with his key,
Protect yourself, from disease be free;
Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs
For sale by C M Parrish.

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A partial list of the useful things we have for GIFTS.

Copyright Novel,
Harrison Fisher Book,
Christy Books,
Gift Books of every sort,
Juveniles,
Bibles,
Ink Stands,
Poper Knife,
Pen Tray,
Ash Trays,
Lap Tablet,
Letter Set,
Sealing Wax Set,
Busts,
Fine Vases,
Poker Sets,
"500" Sets,
"Bridge" Sets,
Calendars,
Leather Cushions,
Leather Table Mats,
Fountains Pens,
Gold Pens,
Framed Pictures,
Toilet Sets,
Traveling Sets,
Manicure Sets,
Smoker Sets,
Military Brush Sets,
Collar and Cuff Boxes,
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Post Card Albums,
Line-A-Day Books,
Address Books,
Book Racks,
Music Rolls,
Waste Paper Baskets,
Stereoscopes.

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Get them Fixed Before Christmas.

Some of your furniture is broken, your mattresses may need cleaning, some of your chairs and sofa's need to be reupholstered, these little things should be attended to before Christmas. Get them repaired before the Children come home on their vacation. Call up Harry M. Bidwell on the Commercial phone and he will gladly call and get the goods, his work is done in a substantial way and has proven satisfactory. His shop is on South Allegheny street.

—Feel languid, weak, run-down, Headache? Stomach off?—Just plain case of lazy liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach? promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

—Extra select oysters received daily, 40 cents per quart at J. S. Keichline's

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Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, La Grippe, Asthma, Throat and Lung Troubles. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption

CONTAINS NO HARMFUL DRUGS

The Genuine is in the YELLOW PACKAGE

ILLUSIONS.

(Illusionen.)

JAQUES MENDELSOHN.

Andante moderato.

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poco cresc.

e accel.

poco rit.

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cresc.

sempre cres -

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accel.

rit. e dim.

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poco string.

rit.

a tempo.

string.

rit.

a tempo.

crescendo.

poco crescendo & accelerando.

molto rallentando.

THERE! LITTE GIRL, DON'T CRY!

(Still! Liebes Kind, sei Still!)

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.
German Translation by the Composer.

JAQUES MENDELSOHN

Andantino.

1. There! lit - tle girl, don't cry!..... They have
2. There! lit - tle girl, don't cry!..... They have
1. *Still, lie - bes Kind, sei still!..... Ja, dein*
2. *Still, lie - bes Kind, sei still!..... Ja, dein*

poco cresc.

brok-en your doll, I know;.... And your tea - set blue, And your play-house too, Are things of the long a -
brok-en your slate, I know;.... And the glad, wild ways Of your school-girl days, Are things of the long a -
Püppchen zer-brach, ich weiss;.... Und dein Thee - ge - schirr Brach mit gross' Ge - klirr, Die Thrä-nen, sie rin - nen
Grif - fel zer-brach, ich weiss;.... Und die sel' - ge zeit O wie ist sie weit! Die Thrä-nen, sie rin - nen

crescendo.

go;..... But child - ish troub-les will soon pass by,— There! lit - tle girl, don't cry!
go;..... But life and love will soon come by,— There! lit - tle girl, don't cry!
heiss;.... Doch Kin - des - kum-mer ver-schwin - den will; Still, lie - bes kind, sei still!
heiss;.... Doch Lieb' gar bald nun er - schei - nen will; Still, lie - bes kind, sei still!

dimin.

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Poco meno mosso espressivo.

3. There! lit - tle girl, don't cry!..... They have brok - en your heart, I know;..... And the
3. *Still, lie - bes kind, sei still!..... Ja dein Her - ze es brach, ich weiss;..... Und der*

Poco meno mosso.

rain - bow gleams Of your youth - ful dreams Are things of the long a - go;..... But
Ju - gend Glück Traf ein hart' Ge - schick; De Thrä - nen, sie rin - nen heiss;..... Doch

ritenuto.

a tempo.

rit.

heav - en holds all for which you sigh,— There! lit - tle girl, don't cry!
o - ben leuch - tet des Se - gens Füll'! Still, lie - bes Kind, sei still!

a tempo.

lento.

ritenuto.

rit.

The Bellefonte Republican

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EARLE C. TUTEN.

BRIEF MENTION

Short Items of Local Interest Gathered By The Way Side

No Paper Next Week.

Owing to the fact that next week is Christmas week, there will be no issue of the Bellefonte Republican for that week. This being the case, this issue is the last one for the old year of 1907. When the Republican again makes its appearance old 1907 will have passed into history and the new year 1908 with all its possibilities will be here. That being the cause we take this opportunity to wish our readers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

—Boyd Musser, of Altoona, is the happy father of a bouncing boy the stork brought to him one day last week. The babe weighs 10 pounds.

—Four cases of diptheria have developed at Annapolis among the garrison marines stationed at the naval academy barracks. The authorities have stationed the barracks under strict quarantine.

—Mrs. J. F. Boozer was buried Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral services were held in her home at Osceola Mills. They were very impressive and quite a few of our town people were present.

—Last Saturday Boyd Noll of Zion, bought the double frame dwelling house on east Lamb street from Mrs. Josephine Cruse. The price paid was $2,300. Mr. Noll expects to move to Bellefonte in the spring.

—Kyle Osman, who has been working in Tyrone at his trade, a paper hanger, hung up his job on Wednesday and went home to spend the balance of the winter with his parents at State College. Work on his trade is rather scarce this time of the year.

— The case of Gardner vs Burdine Butler which went to the jury Wednesday evening resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $74.26. The piece of land in dispute was worth about $5.00 but the verdict and costs will amount to almost $500 which the defendant will have to pay.

—Miss Jennie Cross, of Philipsburg, a sister of Mrs. Hugh S. Taylor, of this place, has accepted a position as assistant superintendent of the Galen Hall sanitorium at Atlantic City, N. J., and left last Wednesday evening to enter upon her work. Miss Cross is an experienced nurse and is fully competent to fill her new position.

—The good people of Milesburg at their annual Thanksgiving service took up a collection for the benefit of the building fund of the Bellefonte Hospital The sum of $3.29 was turned over to the Treasurer of the hospital by Claude Smith. The Board of Trustees are grateful for all donations. They are being used for an excellent purpose.

—Owing to the closing down of Red Bank for the winter William Burnside has given up his home at Scotia and is once again in Bellefonte intermingling with his many friends, the same genial gentleman he was when in charge of the Standard Scale & Supply company in its palmiest days. Of course Will will very likely spend the entire winter in town.

—A big Georgia opossum destined to be added to the Christmas larder of the white house, is being fattened at Gainsville, Ga., for President Roosevelt's benefit by Mrs. Helen Longstreet, widow of the famous Confederate general and postmistress of Gainesville. The opossum was caught several days ago and is now being fed on persimmons and other dainties to make him a worthy gift to the president.

—John H. Woomer has given up his position as representative of the Singer Sewing Machine company in this place and Saturday made sale of all his household effects. Mr. Woomer has accepted a position as solicitor and collector for a firm in Ohio, and has been assigned the State of Indiana as his territor. Until he decides on a location Mrs. Woomer will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Rerick in Altoona.

—We are sorry to announce the serious illness of Roy McCalmont, at his home in Rochester, N. Y. He had a bad attack of erysipelas and after succeeding in breaking it up it left him with a bad attack of rheumatism. His condition was such that on Saturday last Mrs. J. C. Weaver, of Philadelphia, but who was in Howard on account of the death of her sister, received a telegram from Mrs. McCalmont, her daughter, to go to Rochester, if possible at once.

—The many friends of Mrs. Katherene Simmons will be glad to hear that she is regaining her sight in the Philadelphia Hospital.

—Tuesday being the 14th birthday of Miss Sarah Hastings she entertained at dinner a number of her friends at her home on North Allegheny street.

—Chickens won't pay at this time of the year unless they get the best of attention, and yet this is one of the best months in the year for the expert poultryman.

—Mrs. Alice Longworth got through the operation for appendicitis in good condition. The operation took place on Friday morning, and at present she is getting along nicely.

—T. W. Kreamer shipped fifteen hundred Christmas trees to the Philadelphia and New York markets, for the Christmas holiday celebrations, on Friday. Looks as if they were going to have Christmas.

—If you have nothing to do, or if you are out of work, study at something great or small and you will be surprised how soon you can get a position. The world wants men that are well-booked and capable. Study will make you a man like that.

—John Rearick, who farms the Homes' farm, butchered a 500 pound Friday. The hog was taken to P. L. Beezer's meat market and when put on the elevated skid, the head had to be cut off in order that it could be taken in the door. This was a nicesized fellow.

—Some time ago Mr. Bussler had his hand hurt very badly while trying to stop a machine in the Electric Light Works. Since then he has been unable to use his hand, but it is now getting along very nicely. He is a trombone player in Christy Smith's orchestra and will soon be able to take his old place.

—The State College end of the pike leading from that place to Bellefonte will be next among the pikes to go to the township for maintenance. This portion of pike extends from State College to Lemont, where it joins the pike condemed a few weeks ago. Master H. C. Quigley will bear evidence in the matter December 18th.

—Since the dedication of the new agriculture building at State College the college authorities have purchased the Dr. Christ farm and are now negotiating for two of the Thomson farms. With the big increase in the number of agricultural students it is necessary to have more ground for experimental purposes as well as pracical farming.

—Eleven through freight trains passed over the Bald Eagle Valley railroad from Tyrone to Lock Haven, on Sunday, on their way east. This was the largest movement of freight over that road in any one day in years and is accounted for only by the immense freight traffic now being handled from the west to the east, and yet the cry is continually being heard that hard times are coming.

—Up to this time 320 dead bodies have been taken from the Monongah Mine. Of these 71 were Americans, 11 negroes, 146 Italians, 54 Slovacs, 31 Poles, 5 Greeks and 2 Hungarians. Over $60,000 has been given to the rescue fund. The work of getting out these bodies is dangerous and hard. Many times fire breaks out and explosions occur. This is the greatest mine disaster known.

—Last Friday P. F. Confer took his daughter, Miss Blanche to the hospital. For the past six weeks she has been afflicted with an abcess on her cheek which refused to heal and it was thought best to take her to the hospital for treatment. On Saturday an operation was performed at the hospital, which was successful, and the physicians think that in a short time the young woman will be entirely relieved of the effects of the abcess.

—Two State meat inspectors were in Bellefonte on Tuesday and made an inspection of the butcher shops and slaughter houses in Bellefonte, in accordance with the provision of the new pure food law. In general both the shops and slaughter houses were found to be in a good condition, though in one or more instances the inspectors suggested some changes which will insure a more sanitary condition of their product. Especially were the butchers cautioned against the use of water from the creek for any purpose whatever.

—Mr. Andrew J. Cook has resigned his position as superintendent for the Berwind—White Coal company and with his wife and daughter expects to take a trip to California this winter. Mr. Cook has not been in the best of health for months, and some time ago was compelled to undergo an operation. Since then he has been troubled with rheumatism and he decided that a change of scene and climate was the best thing possible for him. He is now in Philadelphia where he will remain until after Christmas when he will return to Bellefonte and as soon as he can get things in shape, which will be about the middle of January, will leave for California, where they will spend two months or more visiting his brother, George Cook and family. They expect to return to Bellefonte in the spring and if his health is then all right Mr. Cook will very likely again associate himself with the Berwind—White company, through not as superintendent.

PERSONALS

Short But Newsy Personals of Those Who Come And Go.

A. G. Morris, of Tyrone, was a business visitor Wednesday.

J. C. Harper was a passenger to Clearfield at noon Thursday.

Thos. King, of Morris was a Bellefonte visitor Wednesday.

Mr. Gardner of Howard, was a business visitor in town Thursday.

Christy Smith was a passenger from the south Wednesday night.

William Aikey of Curtin was noticeable on our streets Wednesday.

Senator W. C. Heinle was transacting business in Williamsport Thursday.

W. B. Rankin went up Bald Eagle Valley Wednesday to transact business.

Solomon Lowry a well known man of Mill Hall was a business visitor Thursday.

Harry Hutchison, ticket agent at the P. R. R. station returned home Tuesday.

Mr. James Furst a prominent lawyer transacted business in Tyrone Wednesday.

Mrs. W. L. Daggett returned after a pleasant visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Robert A. Hunter went to Tyrone for the purpose of transacting business at noon Thursday.

Brinton Wallace a Milesburg brick layer is visiting his sister Mrs. C. J. Blair at Tyrone.

S. K. Emerick a prominent farmer of Union township transacted business in town Thursday.

Newt and Jesse Dunlap returned from Mifflintown on Wednesday where they have been working.

Frank Schroyer of Lewistown came to Milesburg Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rearick.

Col. W. F. Reynolds one of our best known citizens was in Tyrone transacting business on Tuesday.

Dr. J. L. Seibert, a prominent physician departed for Newport, where he will spend a few days with his father.

Mrs. W. M. Lewis and daughter Grace of Tyrone returned to their home after visiting our town for a few days.

Mrs. John Shugerts a highly esteemed lady of our little city, departed for a little visit to Williamsport Thursday.

Mr. Ambrose Sloteman who travels for the Hayes Run Fire Brick Co., was an arrival from Snow Shoe Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jackson after a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rishel, returned to her home in Altoona on Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Cox returned home Thursday from Philadelphia. They had taken Miss Turner to the Philadelphia hospital to receive treatment forher jaw.

Mrs. Florence Syphox of Washington D. C., after spending a pleasant Tuesday in Tyrone came to our little city on Wednesday.

Miss Helen Rockey, daughter of John Rockey of Zion, went to Philadelphia Thursday, Miss Rockey is a nurse in the Philadelphia hospital.

Miss Sallie Keller of Boalsburg was a Bellefonte shopper Friday. She was a pleasant caller at this office and renewed her subscription to the Republican for another year.

Ex-Chief Burgess J. F. Bartley of Unionville was a business visitor on Wednesday. Mr. Bartley is well known in these parts and was at one time a ticket agent in C. R. R. of Pa. office.

Budd Thompson, of Martha, one of Centre County's finest business men, paid our town a visit on Wednesday. Mr. Thompson is quite wealthy and owns one of the best coal and timber lands in West Virginia.

Among those who attended the funeral of Mrs. J. F. Boozer at Osceola Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sellers and Mrs. Belle Barr of Pittsburg, M. R. Johnson and Wm. Sowers of Bellefonte and Mrs. Elizabeth Tressler of Fillmore. They all came to Bellefonte Thursday evening.

Mr. Luther Houser, one of Tyrone's most popular young men is visiting his many friends in Bellefonte. Luther is a fine looking young fellow and is quite a ladies man. For a long time he was one of the efficient painters at Eckenroth's, but some time ago secured an excellent position in Tyrone, which he has filled to perfection. He is a jolly, good fellow and is always welcome in old Bellefonte.

Mr. Roy Hall, the efficient fireman on the Tyrone division of P. R. R., was in town on business Wednesday. For some time past he has resided in Tyrone, but expects to move his wife to Bellefonte in the near future. He has been transferred from the Tyrone division of the P. R. R., to fireman on a flying shifter, which will make his run entirely different. Mr. Hall is a fine young man and we are glad to hear of his moving to our town.

James A. Beaver arrived from Philadelphia on Friday.

Mrs. C. M. Parrish was a passenger west on Monday.

Irve Gray the famous horse jockey was a visitor Friday.

Frank Beck was a passenger from the west Tuesday morning.

Herman Aikey of Lewistown, visited this town over Sunday.

Judge John Love departed for Tyrone on legal business, Monday.

W. L. Mahlon was a passenger to Harrisburg on Monday evening.

Father Cochran, of Snow Shoe, spent Monday with Father McArdle.

Mr. S. H. Shaffer of Zion, was a business visitor to Bellefonte Friday.

M. I. Gardner, Supt. Nittany Valley R. R. transacted business in Howard Tuesday.

John Kelly, a prominent citizen of Snow Shoe transacted business in town Monday.

J. M. Keichline, Esq., a noted attorney transacted business in our neighboring Tuesday.

Edward Overton, well known in this vicinity, was a passenger to Altoona, Tuesday.

Fred Hollobaugh who is employed by the P. R. R. at Tyrone, spent Sunday with his parents.

Clement Dale, a prominent lawyer, has taken a day off and went to the woods Tuesday morning.

H. S. Moore, a prominent citizen of this town, transacted business in Lock Haven Thursday.

Hiram Thompson a prominent farmer of College twp., transacted business in Bellefonte Monday.

Col. J. L. Spangler, the great coal operator, was in Tyrone Wednesday transacting business.

J. S. McCargar, one of our prominent insurances agents, was to Tyrone on business Wednesday.

John D. Meyer venerable superintendent of the boro schools, was a passenger west Friday morning.

S. D. Gettig, Esq., one of our prominent lawyers, returned after a pleasant business trip to Millheim.

Al Roberts, formerly of this place but now located in Howard, was transacting business in town Tuesday.

Cora Brungart, a school teacher who resides in Centre Hall, was a Christmas shopper in town Friday.

J. L. Gordon went to Huntingdon Thursday to see his father who is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

William P. Humes, one of our best known citizens, departed on a business trip to New York City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lukenbach of Tyrone, returned to their home on Monday after spending Sunday with friends.

Dr. W. W. Feidt, a prominent physician of our little city, went to Snow Shoe Friday morning on a professional visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meese, after spending a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Tyrone returned on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. L. Haagen and children of Tyrone, returned to their home on Wednesday evening after visiting friends in this town.

Chas. Faxon has been taking quite a visit among the cheerful dutch of Rebersburg and Spring Mills. He returned Friday morning.

Mr. G. M. Stover of Clinton County was in Bellefonte Thursday in the interest of the Barbara A. Long estate of Potter township, Clinton County.

James H. Potter, of Potter-Hoy Hardware Co., one of the largest hardware houses in the state, was a visitor to Jersey Shore to transact business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob A. Grove of Tyrone returned to their home after spending a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McClincy over Sunday.

Mr. Claude Jodon, a well known man of Flemington, returned to his home Saturday after a pleasant visit to the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Jodon of Coleville since Tuesday.

Misses Mary and Anna Brown, who have been in Frederick, Md., since the death of their father, arrived in Bellefonte last week and will spend the winter with their sister, Mrs. Kyle McFarlane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rowe arrived on the C. R. R. of Pa. train at 5 10 Monday evening after a delightful honeymoon spent in a few of our eastern cities and greet their many friends at their residence on E. Curtin St.

Mr. Charles Harrison returned to his home at State College Saturday morning. Mr. Harrison was one of our former bakers and is well known in Bellefonte and vicinity. He came down Friday evening to see a few of his friends.

J. W. Hazell, proprietor of the Rising Sun Hotel of Pittsburg, stopped in town a while on Saturday. He went to visit friends at Spring Mills on the 1:50 train. Mr. Hazell is well-known in this part of the country and is an old time subscriber of the Republican. He used to live in this part of the country but his business has drawn him from one part of the country until he is now located in Pittsburg doing an enormous business. He returned home Monday morning.

Rev. J. A. Platts was a visitor in Tyrone Saturday.

Miss Rebie Noll visited friends in Tyrone on Friday.

William Haupt spent Friday with friends in Tyrone.

Rev. John Hewitt returned to his home in Columbus, Ohio, Monday.

Mr. Benjamin Johnsonbaugh of Braddock, is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Mr. Boal and brother of Boalsburg were shopping in Bellefonte Saturday.

Mr. McFaddin of Renova was a pleasant visitor to our little city over Sunday.

F. H. Thomas was a passenger to Philapelphia on Saturday to transact business.

Miss Minnie Hastings of this place is visiting the Misses Fleming at Lock Haven.

Mr. Robert Hartman and two sons went to Williamsport on Saturday to visit friends.

C. F. Montgomery a prominent merchant, transacted business in Tyrone Monday.

Mr. P. S. Strawn was visiting H. S. Roy proprietor of the Brockerhoff House the last few days.

Mrs. Sara Garman, returned home after a delightful visit with friends in Pittsburg.

Mrs. W. H. Musser and son Lester, spent Sunday at Altoona, as the guest of Boyd Musser.

Edward Waite and Ben Brown went to Mt. Eagle to do some repair work Monday morning.

Corney Tate and son Budd went to Renova Monday morning to put in some acetylene plants.

Mrs. C. E. Aull and daughter Margaret, of Ardmore, Pa., are he guests of Mr. Ed. Richards.

Miss Helen Bryan and aunt of Curtin were doing some Christmas shopping in this town on Tuesday.

James Uzzle a prominet citizen of Snow Shoe transacted buisness in our little city, on Tuesday.

Mrs. F. C. Gabenslabent of Hanover, Pa., spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Clevenstine in this place.

George Shugarts and brother James, two well known men of Oak Hall were Bellefonte shoppers on Saturday.

J. V. Shreck of Mt. Carmel, the proprietor of the "Theatorium" visited his sister Miss Emma Shreck over Sunday.

Misses Marguerite Gobeen and Gertrude Weiland of Boalsburg, who teach school at Oak Hall, were here shopping on Saturday.

Mrs. R. L. Mallory and children went to Philadelphia at noon Saturday. They expect to celebrate Christmas at the home of Mrs. Mallory's parents.

Miss Dorothy Fleming of Lock Haven returned to her home Monday morning. Miss Fleming was the splendid singer at the "Theatorium" Saturday evening.

Miss Mary Martin, one of the efficient compositors of the Centre Democrat, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Tyrone returned home Monday evening.

Lee Derstine was hurt while working at Altoona and returned to this place on Saturday. Lee has many friends in this town who will be sorry to learn that he was injured.

Mrs. Sylvia Norrish, the Secretary of State Association of the Womens Christian Temperance Union who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. Louise Bush departed Monday for her home in Bradford county,

John Z. Watson, wife and child, left Wednesday for Conemaugh. Thursday they will go to Pittsburg. John is a brakeman on the Bellefonte shifter and is now off on a ten days vacation.

Mrs. Carl Lillhedahl and family returned to their home in Altoona Monday, after a short but pleasant visit at the home of Mr. David Barlett, who has been in the P. R. R. freight station for thirty-four years.

Mr. John Sheckler, wife and child departed for Conemaugh Wednesday Mr. Sheckler is a brakeman on the Bellefonte shifter and is taking a ten days vacation. He expects to go from Conemaugh to the "Smoky City."

"Toy" Landis went to Julian Monday where he expects to work on Nason's saw mill. This is where "Toy" gets some real work but when he comes back he'll be so strong and hearty that we will hardly know him.

O. W. Pierce of Madiera, who was holding the position as operator at the station tower, returned to his home Monday. Mr. Stahl Smith of Mill Hall has been promoted to this town, and was on duty Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peters left Sunday for Conomaugh where they will make their future home. They were accompanied by Mrs. William Evey who will visit them for a short time. Mrs. Peters will be remembered as Miss Edna Evey.

Mr. N. B. Spangler, one of our prominent lawyers, just missed the 4:44 on Saturday evening but was plenty early to catch the morning train on Sunday and departed for Philadelphia. He expects to bring his wife with him from the hospital where she has been for some time.

Miss Maria Young departed for Pitcairn Wednesday,

Mr. Rothrock has gone to Philadelphia to visit friends for a while

Christy Smith was transacting business in Milesburg Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Dupeman returned Tuesday evening after visiting friends at Curtin.

Miss Grace Kline and sister of the Rolling Mill were Christmas shopper Wednesday.

Samuel Foster who has been working in Altoona arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday morning.

Laurie Redding, proprietor of the Mountain House hotel of Snow Shoe, transacted business in our little city Wednesday.

Mr. Thomas Morrison departed for Punxsutawney Wednesday. Tommy will visit friends for a while and may not return till after Christmas,

"At the Ferry."

On Tuesday evening a home talent play entitled "At The Ferry" was given in Petrikin Hall. There were forty people in the play who had been carefully directed by Miss Lulu Mae Wilcox. The play was supposed to be comic and by the comments the audience made it was. There was a good house, and, stimulated by the presence of so many friends, each actor did their best. The characters were well chosen and presented. This play was given for the benefit of our Y. M. C. A. and those that attended not only enjoyed themselves but contributed to a good cause.

Miss Eva Crissman appeared as Mrs. Troublesome and Cecil Walker as Willie Troublesome. These were difficult parts to fill, but Miss Crissman and the boy certainly made a hit. Uncle Rube and Aunt Maria Milan Walker and Miss Mary Smith presented the simple side of life to perfection. Uncle Rube's song "Way Back" brought down the house. Miss Helen Smith appeared successfully in both the school teacher and Bridget parts, and Benjamin Hubbard was a fine English Dude. Miss Jone Donachy did finely as Mammy Sue and Frank Crissman and Louise Brachbill were ideal lovers. Margaret McFarlane, as Sallie; Wm. McFarlane as ticket taker; Harold Hollabaugh as ticket agent; Luther Crissman as news boy; and all of the others did much to make this entertainment a laughing success. As soloists in the choruses the Misses Sally Fitzgerald, Harriet Ray, and Julia Curtin, and Mr. A. C. Harper were at their best. Miss Shields as accompanist filled the place skilfully contributing much to the artistic success of the affair.

The total receipts will amount to about $100 and the expenses about $50. The profits will be equally divided between the Bureau and the Y. M. C. A. which will add $25 to the local fund.

A Jolly Crowd and a Jolly Good Time.

As every one knows our popular Recorder John C Rowe has taken unto himself a bride, and on last Monday evening unbeknown to his friends at the Court house he quietly slipped into town and hie'd himself to his home on Curtin street. The Court house ring promptly notified him that they would call on him Tuesday evening and they did. To the tune of tin horns and drums beating they marched out to the Rowe residence and gave the bride and groom the serenade of their life. In addition they sang several very choice selections such as "There was an old man named Bill." Mr. and Mrs. Rowe received the bunch very cordially and were evidently expecting them for they gave them a splendid turkey dinner, and talk about eating that Court house bunch can eat all right. The balance of the evening was spent very pleasantly playing "hoss and pepper" and with music and social conversation.

Those present were Sheriff Henry Kline, Commissioners J. L. Dunlap, C. A. Weaver, John G. Baily, Commissioner's Clerk Jas. H Corl, Deputy Prothonotary David R. Foreman, Register E. C. Tuten, Register's clerk Miss Anna H. Nolan, John Trofford, D. Paul Fortney, Miss Rebie Noll and Chas. Lukenbach.

All returned to their homes at a reasonable hour feeling they had passed a most pleasant and profitable evening.

Hatched Snakes in Oven.

While Edwin and Dewitt Dickerson, sons of a farmer near Eridgeville, were playing around an old straw stack they found a nest containing twenty-three small queer looking eggs. The younger boy proposed roasting them over a fire and eating them, but the older would not agree to it because the eggs looked so odd.

They took them home and without saying anything to any one about it, sneaked them into the kitchen stove oven. The next morning when the mother built a fire for breakfast she was horrified on opening the oven to find it full of young snakes. The eggs were of the snake variety and the warm oven had hatched them out in the morning. The snakes were promptly killed.